

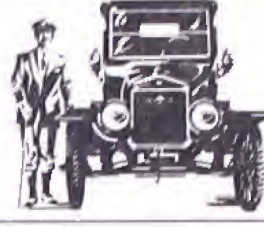
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Local craftsman weaves memories

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

A retired weaver for Greenfield Village, Bob Kaiser is finding it difficult to give up his craft.

Kaiser, who lives on the border of Taylor and Romulus, has been an accomplished weaver since 1935.

His latest creation is an image of his grand-nephew, who recently graduated from clown college. The project took more than two years to complete and measures nearly seven feet tall and 31 inches wide.

To the layman, Kaiser appears to be working with yarn, but actually he uses strips of polyester woven through burlap.

"The way they used to do it," he said.

Kaiser demonstrated his technique. Using a special crochet hook, Kaiser catches the strip of fabric from behind the burlap and pulls it through into small loops.

Kaiser follows a pattern drawn on the burlap by his wife, Brucella.

This particular method is only one type which Kaiser has mastered. He is quick to show off a photo album filled with his memories of Greenfield Village.

There he used a weaving machine which is more than 100 years old, he also demonstrated the use of a spinning wheel and made brooms.

"I was one of the first people

to teach a class at the village," he said.

Kaiser also talked about his crafts on radio and public television shows in the 1950s and 60s.

Kaiser used a knitting machine early in his career.

"I used to knit all of Mr. Ford's socks when he was alive," he said.

Weaving has always intrigued Kaiser. He remembers the grocery store his mother sent him to as a child. Packages were always wrapped up with string which young Kaiser immediately removed.

"I had it (the string) all wrapped up in balls and began to experiment with knots. That fascinated me; I never forgot it."

Kaiser's first assignment at Greenfield Village, however, was as guide in 1934.

"In the winter, they put me in the Cooper Shop (where wheelbarrows are made)," Kaiser said.

The next year, he was assigned to the village carding mill. Carding is a form of hand-weaving. It was there that Kaiser really found his niche.

"When I got inside the carding mill - that made me really happy. I still have pieces around I wove in 1935," he said.

Now Kaiser's family, including one daughter, two grandchildren and four great-grandchildren, continue to benefit from his skill.



When Bob Kaiser was assigned to become a weaver for Greenfield Village, he knew he found his niche in life. As a retiree, Kaiser enjoys weaving for family and friends. His favorite method involves looping strips of cloth through burlap (above). The finished product is similar to yarn rug-hooking. ANP photos by Florence Meeks

\$90,000 awarded in grant funding

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

Approximately \$90,000 in Community Development Block Grant funding was approved for distribution by members of the Romulus City Council Monday night during the regular meeting.

Seven of the 10 applicants received funding. Recipients include a local senior citizen housing project, \$26,000; the Romulus Youth Assistance Program, \$15,000; minor home repair services of the Romulus Help Center, \$13,000; the recreation department, \$11,000; the building department, \$11,000; the Romulus Historical Society, \$3,000 and the Romulus Arts Council, \$2,000.

In addition, \$50,000 will become available for housing rehabilitation. That money is considered a separate allocation from the Community Development Block Grants, and specific recipients will be determined later in the year.

Generally, Community Development Block Grants are allocated to organizations or departments that can make a specific contribution to their community and funding must benefit at least 39.9 percent of a target area, according to Jeffery Martell, planner. Romulus contains between 10 to 15 of these areas, he said, based on a census track. Each area contains five block groups.

Money for this funding program is provided through the federal Department of Housing

and Urban Development. The program originated in 1967 under the administration of Lyndon Johnson.

As a member of the Wayne County Block Grant Consortium, Romulus receives funds funneled through the county, Martell said.

Last year the largest grant, approximately \$87,000, went toward the Romulus Historical Park, Martell said.

Last Monday a public hearing was staged to allow groups interested in obtaining grant money to state their cases. Ten groups applied, requesting a total of \$149,725.

Martell compiled that information, along with recommendations from himself and the mayor, to offer a final recommendation to city councilmembers.

Among the applicants which did not receive funding are The Information Center Home Share program, which allows senior citizens to remain in their homes by providing housemates, the Romulus Emergency Management Office, for an improved siren system and Daily Bread Ministries, Inc. which provides food for low-income people. None of the 10 applicants received the total amount requested.

"What we did was an across the board cut with the funding," said Martell at the meeting.

Funding for those who were approved for grants should be distributed by August or September, Martell said.

Amendments are approved for Wick Road development

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

Financing plans for the much-discussed Wick Road development underwent some changes Monday night.

After a public hearing staged earlier in the evening, city council members approved amendments to the finance and development plan for the project. The amendments involve public improvements to the area designated for the long-awaited Metro World Centre development, an area bounded by I-94, Wayne, Merriman and

Ecorse road. City officials have previously agreed to assume responsibility for those improvements to facilitate the larger development. The 7.6 million square foot area is expected to be the site of resort hotels, conference centers, office buildings, apartment complexes, a shopping center and a college facility. During the public hearing, Phil McKenna of city planning firm McKenna Associates, Inc., explained the amendments.

First, said the development area is a Tax Increment Finance Authority District. The

TIFA encourages development in designated districts by providing funding for specific projects, such as road improvements, and capturing any generated tax revenues to refund the investment.

"The amendments are essentially to designate a slight change in what the funds will be used for," McKenna said. "The amendments we are talking about have come before us because plans have become quite specific," he added later.

When the Tax Increment Financing and Development

Plan was first established in 1984, the development area and proposed public improvements were limited to the land bounded by Merriman and Venoy, Smith and Wick. The amendments reflect changes in the alignment of streets and utilities in a now larger area that expands west of Venoy.

These improvements have been divided into two phases. City officials hope to begin the first phase this year and finish within five years. Total costs for Phase I are expected to total approximately \$10 million.

Phase II costs are estimated at \$8.5 million.

In conjunction with several of the Phase I improvements, including the paving of Wick, Smith and Vining roads, the Metro World Centre developer has proposed construction of the college facility, one hotel and an office building. TIFA members expect those facilities to generate nearly \$28 million, money which could be used to finance Phase II projects.

The amendments also outline changes in the way the im-

provements will be funded. TIFA members plan to issue tax increment bonds this summer to fund most of the Phase I projects. Phase II projects are essentially on hold for now, according to the amended plan.

"What we are asking council

to approve is the plan, not bond issues, not borrowing, not public improvements," McKenna said.

Council members hope to

meet with Metro World Centre Developer Lloyd Ecclestone later this year for more details regarding his plans for the project.

Local fire destroys record shop

No injuries have been reported in a three-alarm fire which destroyed a Romulus record store early Saturday morning.

Romulus firefighters were called to the Melody Lane record shop at 7:35 a.m. March 26. The building was reportedly engulfed in flames when firefighters arrived and it took more than an hour to contain the blaze, according to fire department officials.

While no cause has as yet been announced by investigators, the possibility of arson has not been eliminated, according to Deputy Fire Chief Bob Pecsénye who noted that the building was engulfed in flames very rapidly. Found in the rubble were three empty Coleman fuel cans, eight elec-



The Melody Lane record shop on Wayne road has been reduced to a pile of rubble and warped strips of metal after a fire engulfed the building early Saturday morning. Romulus firefighters have not determined a cause for the blaze but expect to obtain more information through a professional clean-up process later in the week. ANP photo by Paula Parkinson

tric space heaters and two briefcases, according to Pecsénye.

"We don't know at this point if that had anything to do with the fire," Pecsénye said. Within a week, a clean-up crew is expected to be on the site to re-

move debris. Fire officials will be examining the rubble for possible causes of the blaze.

As of noon Saturday, the fire was still smoldering. Spectators noted the warped lettering on a sign approximately 12 yards from the site of the fire.

In addition, the fire reported-

ly resulted in smoke damage at several nearby businesses. David Ralston, owner of Dave's Meat and Fish located next door to the site of the blaze, said he had to clear out all food in the store because of smoke damage. He expected to reopen for business by Monday.

Railroad repairs slated

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

Railroad repair in Romulus may be taking a turn for the better within a few months, according to Department of Public Works officials.

Promises for the repair of several local crossings have been made by CXTS Transportation officials. Tentatively scheduled for improvement are crossings at Wick, Tobine, Goddard, Bibbins and Grant. The crossings will be raised approximately 2 inches, asphalt repairs will be made, and two tracks no longer in use will be removed. Repair work is expected to begin between Aug. 7 and Aug. 8.

Melvin Zilka, assistant director of the DPW explained that

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LOCAL NEWS DIGEST

450 summer jobs offered in county

Approximately 450 summer-maintenance and clerical jobs will be available to Wayne County youths, as part of the 1989 Michigan Youth Corps and the county government.

The 225 jobs provided by the Youth Corps are offered to youths between the ages of 18 and 21 – excluding the city of Detroit and Downriver communities. Youth Corps jobs begin during the first week of June and continue for two months.

Pay rates are between \$3.35 and \$5.50 per hour.

The 220 seasonal-service-worker jobs offered by the county public services department require applicants to live in Wayne County – excluding Detroit and Downriver – and be 18 years old. Jobs begin in mid-April and continue through October.

Pay rate is \$4.50 per hour. The department of public services maintains roads, parks, airports and public works divisions in Wayne County.

For information, call 224-7619.

Area city officials to exchange places

Officials from three local communities will move out of town – for a day – during the Michigan Week mayors' exchange day celebration in Michigan.

Organized by the Michigan Municipal League, the exchange pairs Michigan cities and villages. Michigan Week is scheduled May 19 to 27. Mayors' exchange day is May 22.

Approximately 200 communities will participate this year. Local communities and exchanging cities include the city of Romulus, exchanging with Dearborn Heights; city of Westland, exchanging with Dearborn; and city of Wayne, exchanging with Wyandotte.

Seminar targets teen employees

State and federal labor department officials will sponsor a seminar on the legal employment of teenagers from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. April 6 at the Wayne County Extension and Education Center, 5454 Venoy Road, Wayne.

The program is free, but reservations are required. Call (517) 322-1825.

Attorney named to county post

Attorney Saul A. Green was named March 22 as the Wayne County corporation counsel by County Executive Edward McNamara.

Green replaces Samuel A. Turner, who was sworn in as judge of the Wayne County Circuit Court earlier this month.

Green, 41, earned a juris doctor law degree in 1972 from the University of Michigan.

As county corporation counsel, Green acts as the chief county attorney and legal counsel for all county officials and departments. He begins his new job within five weeks.

Inkster resident nets new 'Fortune'

Inkster resident Gene Morone, 39, won \$500 last weekend on the statewide television broadcast of *Fame and Fortune*. The show is sponsored by the Michigan Lottery.

County leader seeks nominees

Applications are being accepted by Wayne County Commission Kay Beard for her second annual senior citizens awards program. The event is designed to give recognition to three outstanding senior citizens from each city in her county district – Westland, Inkster and Garden City.

Nomination forms are available at local city halls, senior citizen clubs, service agencies, schools and hospitals. They may also be obtained by calling Beard's office at 224-0902.

Deadline is May 8.

From staff reports

Day, Wilson promoted at Associated Newspapers

Two newsroom employees at the Associated Newspapers have been promoted, according to Publisher David J. Willett.

Ray Day has been promoted to the dual role of managing editor/assistant to the publisher. He has been managing editor of the chain of six local newspapers since 1987.

Barbara (Albert) Wilson was named news editor of the six newspapers. She joined the staff last year.

In his expanded role, Day will act as the assistant to the publisher and spearhead several company projects. He also will continue to act as managing editor, coordinating the editorial content and design of the six newspapers and managing the newsroom.

"Ray Day has grown in talent, imagination and vision with each year that he has served with Associated Newspapers," Willett said. "He will play an increasingly important part in the future shaping of what our newspaper will evolve to."

Day joined the company in 1984 as a reporter-programmer



Ray Day

for the newspaper-owned cable-television channel. He also served as a reporter for the chain.

His career rise at Associated was somewhat remarkable, Willett said. He was named news editor of the newspaper group in 1986 and managing editor in 1987.

A graduate of Wayne State University, Day earned a bachelor's degree in mass communications/journalism.



Barbara Wilson

He formerly worked as a freelance writer and in the programming department at a local cable-television operation.

He and his wife, Debbie, reside in Westland.

Wilson – who was formerly known throughout the area by her maiden name (Albert) – will assist in the newsroom coordination in her new role as news editor.

An Associated Newspapers reporter since February 1988

and assistant to the managing editor since last fall, Wilson will be responsible for the copy-editing function at the six newspapers and will assist the managing editor in the day-to-day management of the editorial department.

"Barbara Wilson has proven her abilities in the relatively short time she has been with us," Willett said. "We anticipate that, in her expanded role as news editor, she will continue to be an excellent reflection on our newspaper."

A graduate of Ohio State University, where she earned a bachelor's degree in journalism, Wilson was formerly features editor for *The News Messenger*, in Fremont, Ohio; a sports reporter for *The Columbus Dispatch*, in Columbus, Ohio; and a general-assignment reporter for *The Messenger Newspapers*, in Columbus.

She and her husband, Ted, reside in Northville.

The Associated Newspapers is a group of six weekly newspapers serving western Wayne County for more than 103 years. Associated publications

include *The Wayne Eagle*, *The Westland Eagle*, *The Canton Eagle*, *The Belleville Enterprise*, *The Romulus Roman* and *The Inkster Ledger-Star*.

Affiliated with the Associated Newspapers is a local cable-television news channel, Community Vision Cable. CVC may currently be viewed in Wayne, Westland, Dearborn Heights, Romulus and Van Buren Township.

The newspaper group has been lauded consistently for the past three years for editorial excellence.

In 1988 and 1986, the chain earned the prestigious Excellence in Journalism Award from the University Press Club of Michigan. In 1987, the newspapers won second place from the press club.

Additional honors have been received from the Michigan Press Association for editorial writing, editorial-page quality, quality of the Suburban Living Sections, quality of the special *Today* magazine supplement and general reporting.

Day's promotion was effective Jan. 26. Wilson's new role began March 8.

Local bus authority proposal abandoned

By JIM RINK
ANP Staff Writer

Officials from the Nankin Transit Commission have abandoned a plan to reorganize the local transportation service as an authority and are now asking local communities to contribute their fair share to keep the system alive.

In Canton Township, the request would increase the 1989-90 funds budgeted for Nankin Transit from \$6,000 to \$18,000.

"In lieu of reforming and seeking a millage as the Nankin Transit Authority at this time, the Nankin Transit Commission is asking your community to provide its share of operating expenses pursuant to our current interlocal agreement," said Charlie Hunter, NTC director, in a letter to Canton Township Finance Director John Spencer.

NTC provides transportation services for the elderly, the handicapped and the economically disadvantaged in Westland, Garden City, Inkster, Wayne and Canton Township. The total amount needed by NTC for operating costs in 1989-90 is \$150,000, an amount to be divided between the five member communities and based on the number of senior citizens in each community.

"NTC has a proven record of dependability, and their service should improve with new equipment," said Canton Township Trustee Robert Shefferly, who represents the township on the NTC Board of Directors. "We are familiar with the administration and their dedication to excellent service. In my opinion, they deserve our continued support."

In the new finance structure, Canton Township would pay \$18,000, while Westland would pay approximately \$60,000. In the former pay structure, the total amount was divided evenly among the five member communities.

The proposed obligation for Inkster is \$27,000, \$15,000 for Wayne and \$30,000 for Garden City.

NTC officials are currently negotiating with officials from the tri-county Southeast Michigan Authority on Regional

Local bus fare

Below is calculated the community fees in the new proposal, compared to fees paid during the last year fees were paid by communities.

COMMUNITY	NEW COST	OLD COST
Canton	\$18,000	\$10,000
Garden City	\$30,000	\$10,000
Inkster	\$27,000	\$10,000
Wayne	\$15,000	\$10,000
Westland	\$60,000	\$10,000

Transportation, also known as SMART. SMART replaced the Southeast Michigan Transportation Authority, also known as SEMTA.

As part of a preliminary budget prepared by SMART, representatives of Macomb and Oakland counties have asked that funding of NTC be eliminated. NTC officials hope to be returned to the list of SMART funding agencies.

"It would help the NTC to have the commitment in hand, as they continue to negotiate with the county and SMART, with the objective of being placed back into the 1989-90 SMART budget," Shefferly said. "A resolution (supporting a budgetary commitment) would indicate community support for the continued operation of NTC."

Glenn Shaw, a consultant for NTC, believes SMART officials are planning to operate their own connector bus service for all of western Wayne County from a Downriver-based bus garage. Individuals needing a ride would be required to make arrangements at least six days in advance, instead of the two-day notice which is now required, according to Shaw.

Prior to the SMART decision, NTC officials were wooing local communities, in an effort to win approval of their plan to become a tax-levying authority. As an authority, the small bus service could have levied up to 3 mills to finance operations.

Prior to budget cuts enacted by SEMTA, Nankin Transit ridership numbered 16,000 clients per month. Currently, ridership averages 8,000.

Jail your boss – for a cause

By BARBARA WILSON
ANP News Editor

Local celebrities are being "locked up" this week to benefit the American Cancer Society.

The Fourth annual Great American Lock Up is being staged through tomorrow at Westland Center, Trapper's Alley and Millender Center Atrium.

For \$25, residents can lock their boss, neighbor, "friend" or mother-in-law for a day in "jail." The jailbirds will be expected to pay a \$1 court cost and will be given free use of a telephone to call friends for bond money.

All funds collected by the jailbirds will go toward the fight against cancer.

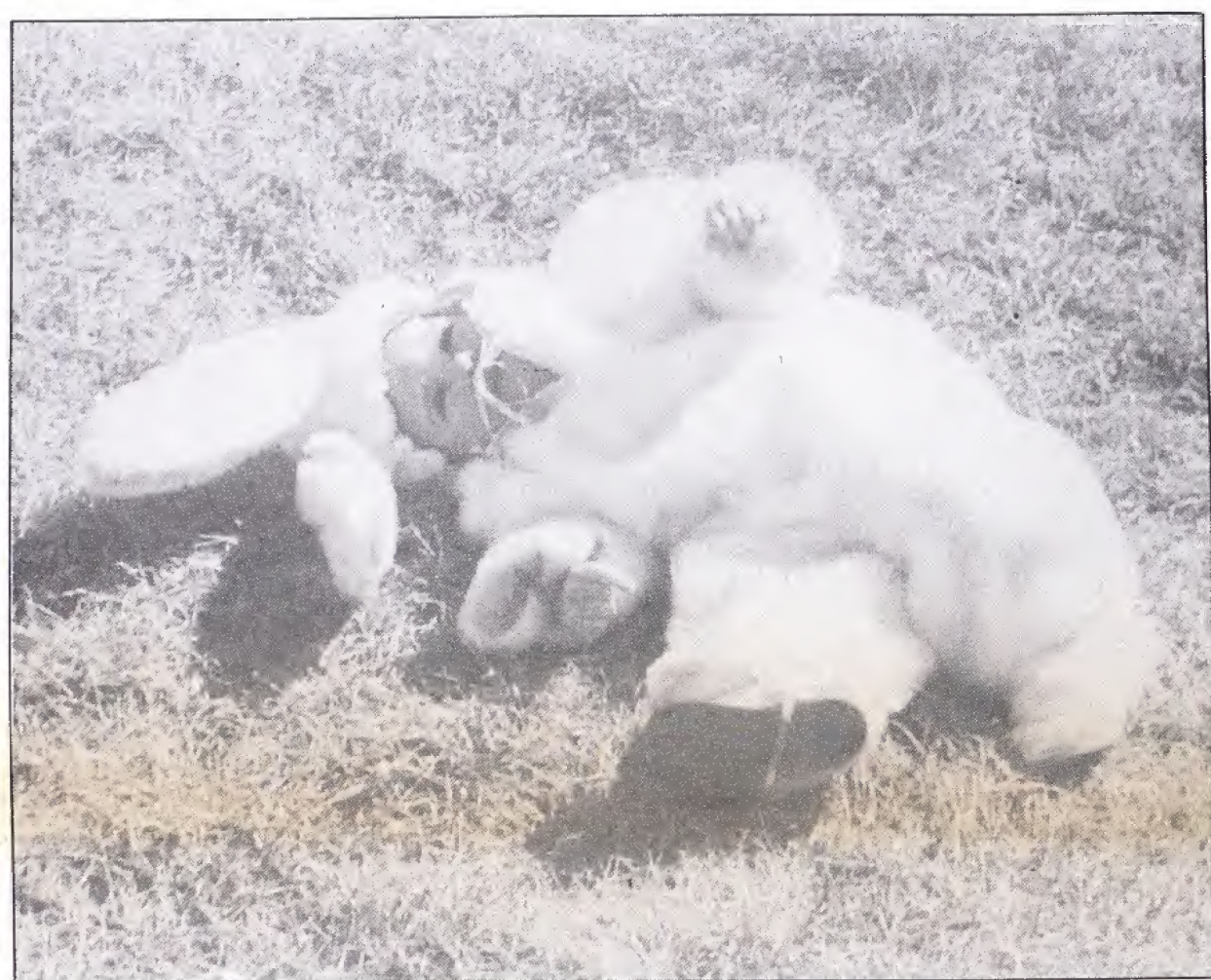
More than \$250,000 was generated in Macomb, Oak-

land and Wayne counties during the 1988 lock-up event. Planners hope to top that amount this year.

Some celebrities have already been slated for "arrest," including Joe Weaver, of WJBK Channel 2; Tom Lenga, president-elect of the Detroit Bar Association; Sharon Bernard Miller, vice president of the Michigan National Bank; state Sen. John Kelly (D-Detroit); Tim Kiska, columnist for the *Detroit News*; Stanley Halprin, chairman of the American Cancer Society Program on Breast Health; and The Noid, of pizza fame.

To have someone locked up for the day, call 1-800-543-JAIL.

WHYT (96.3 FM) will be broadcast live from Westland Center, as part of the local event.



Easter fun

What do you do when 20,000 fluffy, white marshmallows fall from the sky? Scramble, of course, as hundreds of youngsters explained Friday morning during the Great Marshmallow Drop in Hines Park, in Westland. The event, an alternative to an Easter egg hunt, was sponsored by the Wayne County Parks System. Youngsters were divided into three age groups and were instructed to collect at least one marshmallow, as they were dropped from a helicopter overhead. The candy treats could be exchanged for a prize-filled Easter egg. A sunny Good Friday afternoon was the perfect setting for the event, which was staged near the Nankin Mills center, in the park. ANP photos by Barbara Wilson



ROMULUS NEWS DIGEST

2 Detroit teens arrested in city

Two 15-year-olds from Detroit were arrested for auto theft after being stopped for joyriding, Romulus police officials said.

The teens attracted the attention of police officers at 1:30 a.m. Friday by reportedly speeding near Fourth and Hearst. After the short chase, the teens were apprehended near Wayne and Ecorse roads.

The 1982 Pontiac in their possession was discovered to be stolen from Detroit the previous afternoon. The youngsters were returned to their parents but are expected to appear in juvenile court later in the week.

Occupied house is robbed

A 28-year-old Romulus man has been charged with the breaking and entering of an occupied home after being detained by the homeowner and a neighbor.

Kim A. Warren is scheduled for a preliminary examination today. He was arraigned in the 34th District Court in Romulus Thursday and entered a plea of not guilty. Bond was set at \$15,000, and the suspect was remanded to Wayne County Jail.

The reported break-in occurred in the early evening of March 21 in the Morgan Manor development in Romulus. A neighbor heard glass breaking and observed a man crawling through a window of the next-door home. The neighbor and one of the homeowners entered the house and apprehended the suspect, according to police accounts of the incident, and detained him at the scene until police offers arrived.

Joint meeting is planned

City councilmembers will meet with members of the Planning Commission at 7 p.m. April 10 to discuss revisions to the Romulus Master Plan.

Dennis Meagher, of Community Planning and Management, Inc., has been working with the city planning commission for two years to revise the master plan.

This joint meeting will be staged prior to a planning commission public hearing.

Councilman recovers from work accident

City councilmembers Monday night approved a resolution wishing a speedy recovery to Councilman Ellis Pennington, who was reportedly injured Thursday in a work-related accident.

Pennington, who is employed with Romulus-based Kelsey-Hayes, reportedly severed three fingers from his left hand in the accident. He is now recovering at home after undergoing surgery at St. Mary's Hospital in Livonia.

Pennington is expected to undergo surgery a second time before returning to his duties with city council.

Students battle dropout problem

As a sequel to the Feb. 3 symposium on dropouts staged by the student government of Romulus High School, a second gathering has been scheduled for 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. April 7.

Once again, the event will be staged at Wayne County Community College on Haggerty Road. More than 200 community representatives are expected to attend, including local business leaders.

The program is one of the first projects of the Romulus Partnership for Education Program, which teams businesses with schools to prepare students for future careers.

Participants of the April symposium have several main goals including bringing existing resources from the community to the schools. Another goal is to promote participation of businesses and government agencies along with educators and parents to battle dropout.

For more information contact Ed Clark at 941-0610.

Volunteers teach teens self-esteem

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

Odette has always loved children, but until recently, never realized how many youths are troubled.

Oliver has raised seven youngsters of his own. He knows about the problems facing young people today. They are quite different from the problems faced by his children.

Odette and Oliver are two of 25 volunteer counselors for the Romulus Youth Assistance Program. Through this program, which is funded and administered by the Romulus Help Center, young people facing problems at home, at school or with the law can receive counseling.

That is where people like Odette and Oliver come in. After 15 hours of training, they

become a friend to a client, someone with whom to talk. Volunteers are known on a first name basis only and work with the clients one-on-one.

This kind of relationship appealed to Oliver as soon as he heard about the program on cable television.

"I was always involved with youths and city functions," he said. "That (television program) just made me more enthused to become involved."

What kind of problems do clients face?

"Everything you see in the paper from drugs to psychological problems," Oliver said.

Some of the young people who seek help are suicidal, others are enduring the agony of sexual abuse at home.

Listening to the problems faced by these young people can be scary, Odette admitted.

To help counselors deal with that fear and stress, they meet once a week with social worker Mark Small.

Small, director of the program, also meets on a regular basis with the client and with their families to assess their progress.

The volunteer counselors are there to establish realistic goals for the young person and to help them move toward those goals.

"We are there to assure them, to give them the back up," Oliver said.

"I'm glad I'm here," Odette said. "In a round-about way it helps you, too...to be patient, to be understanding. Both parties gain something."

"It's gratifying to know that you are in a position to help kids that are in trouble," Oliver said. "You feel you're contrib-

uting something to your community."

And the problems faced by young people every day don't seem to be going away, rather they seem to get worse and worse.

"The environment of society is one element that contributes to the mixed emotions. If a kid is old enough to understand what the city, what the country is involved in, it gives him the impression he can do it also."

"Discipline," Oliver said. "That's one of the things we've lost. When courts rule a teacher cannot discipline a student they become self-contained, out of control," he said. "Teen problems are then passed from the parent to the police and courts."

Teen problems also stem from the home, Odette said.

"Anything that is taught is

taught at home. We're talking about respect, that's taught at home. We're talking about morality, that's taught at home."

"You have to have some kind of spiritual background, support of the family, especially today," Odette said.

Because these volunteer counselors cannot change the world, the goal is to give the young people enough self-confidence to cope with the problems and temptations that face them, allowing them to make better decisions.

"I usually go by my gut feelings," Odette said. "You don't tell clients what you want them to do. Every teen has the right to their own opinion. But, they should be aware that every choice they make has a consequence."

Council approves plans for recreation complex

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

The plan for a new Romulus recreation building now includes a proposal for a recreation complex which would include a municipal golf course and an expansion of Elmer Johnson Park.

Members of the city council approved the amended recreation plan during a Monday night meeting.

Approval was also given for an application for a \$106,000 grant from the Michigan Department of Natural Resources to fund land acquisition for the project. If approved, \$79,500 would come from the Michigan Natural Resources Trust Fund, and \$53,000 would be allocated from the Land and Water Conservation Fund. The application is due by April 1 and was completed by Community Planning and Management, Inc. prior to the meeting of the council.

"At this point, we are applying only for grant funds for acquisition of the proposed recreation center site," emphasized Community Development Director Dennis Oakes in a let-

ter to Mayor Beverly McAnally.

The 10-acre land parcel being considered for the indoor recreation site runs along Wick road between Ozga and Shook. Wick Elementary School and North Middle School are north of the site, Elmer Johnson Park is to the south. Currently, the site is owned by Michael Naffides of New York.

Members of the recreation commission claim the site is beneficial because it would establish a direct link to existing and planned facilities, including Elmer Johnson Park and the proposed golf course. Proximity to two schools is another plus, members noted.

Costs to develop the center are outlined in the amended plan. Design and construction costs are expected to average between \$75 to \$100 per square foot of building area. Variables would include size, type of construction, types of uses and the cost of on-site improvements.

Operation and maintenance costs may range from \$100,000 to \$300,000 depending on the size and uses of the facility.

Local company honored

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

A Romulus company recently received recognition for high quality from Ford Motor Company.

Representatives of Express Tool and Die were informed two weeks ago that the company will receive the Ford Q101 Quality Award.

"We're the first in Michigan in our field to receive this Q101 award," boasted Paul Varady, president. Express Tool and Die provides warm and cold extrusion tooling, mainly for automotive uses. Extrusion tooling includes spark plugs, nuts and bolts. The company has been in Romulus since 1969.

In order to qualify for this award, the company had to im-

plement a system known as statistical process controls.

"By using this process we improve our quality," Varady said. "This process was developed by the Japanese after World War II. They use it now in manufacturing. That is one of the reasons their quality is so high today."

Express Tool and Die officials spent 16 months implementing the system. The award, which is actually a form of rating, recognizes improvements in quality.

"We were very elated. Now it means we have to do a tremendous amount of work to maintain our high standards," Varady said.

"Eventually, all Ford vendors will have to have SPC's," he added.



A judge's seat with the 34th District Court in Romulus looks good to Magistrate Mark Maironis. The magistrate has announced interest in seeking appointment to fill the term of retiring Judge James Stone. ANP photo by Joan Mary Dyer

Magistrate eyes judge post

By JOAN MARY DYER
Belleville City Editor

Thirty-fourth District Court Magistrate Mark Maironis has announced his interest in seeking appointment to fill the term of retiring Judge James B. Stone.

Stone, whose term of office expires in November, 1990, is slated to retire on May 1.

The vacancy will be filled by an appointment from Gov. James Blanchard, following Stone's retirement. Applications for the post will be screened and evaluated by a committee of the State Bar Association prior to the naming of a new district court judge by the governor. The appointee will be required to run for election in the 1990 balloting.

"We will all miss Judge Stone," Maironis said. "The community was well-served by him, and he will be missed."

Maironis, who is a Van Buren Township resident with a law practice in Belleville, was appointed to his current post 18 months ago. As a part-time court magistrate, Maironis hears traffic cases, civil infractions and small claims. Although a large portion of his

practice involved cases heard in the 34th District Court prior to his appointment, Maironis is now banned from representing clients in the courtroom where he is a part-time magistrate—a policy that, he acknowledges, has curtailed his practice in recent months.

"I still have a busy practice," Maironis said, "and I also teach business law at Henry Ford Community College."

Due to the heavy case load of the district court, Maironis was appointed to alleviate the work load of Judge Stone and Judge Henry Zaborowski. From time to time rumors have circulated that a third district judge would be named, but no official confirmation of a third judgeship in the future has been made.

"A magistrate could be described as a mini-judge with duties that could be equated to that of a justice of the peace," Maironis said. "At times, I handle arraignments, issue warrants and preside over preliminary hearings."

During the past months as magistrate, Maironis believes he has gained an understanding of the court procedures and day-to-day operations of the

district court. This, he said, should give him "an edge" on other applicants for the position.

"In my duties as magistrate, I deal with people and I deal with the system," Maironis said. "I do on a small scale what the two judges do on a larger scale."

One of the most difficult aspects of his duties is presiding over the small claims court, the magistrate said.

"There are no attorneys, no police officers and no prosecutors in the small claims court," Maironis said. "There are two people who each believe they are right - they wouldn't have come to court if they didn't believe that - and they are all dealing with emotions. Some become very upset when they lose their cases, because they do not have an understanding of the law and what is required as proof of their claims."

"Many of the cases involve intangibles and non-economic losses which are difficult to assess," Maironis said, questioning, for example, how one would determine the amount of compensation for the loss of social engagements due to a beautician burning the hair of a customer?



Egg hunters

The first annual Easter egg hunt sponsored by the Romulus Recreation Department attracted a large crowd of egg hunters anxious to find the golden egg. Parents were on hand to offer moral support but the participants, ranging from infants to 6-year-olds, were basically on their own. Prizes were awarded for the most eggs gathered and discovering the golden egg. ANP photo by Paula Parkinson

Repairs

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he has a letter from the railway company detailing the plans for the repairs.

"I have had some conversations with these people...right now I've got in my possession a letter from them saying they will address these crossings...I guess we'll have to wait and see," Zilka said. Zilka admitted he has been quite vocal in past years accusing officials of delaying repairs and making empty promises.

"I've been one of their strongest critics," he said. Now, he said, he wants to give

the company the benefit of the doubt.

Once the repair work begins, it is expected to take two weeks to complete.

In addition to the CSX improvements, Zilka anticipates repairs on Norfolk & Southern crossings this year. City officials recently approved a joint project with the company and the Michigan Department of Transportation to put in new crossing signals. Crossings at Ozga, Shook and Romaine will be affected. In addition, new tracks will be installed, Zilka said.

"I think the next thing I would like to see addressed, especially with CSX, is the blockage of the tracks...That will take some doing," Zilka said.

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Rouge rescue: \$500 million proposal adopted by group

By JIM RINK
ANP Staff Writer

A comprehensive, \$500-million plan to rescue the Rouge River from years of neglect has been adopted by members of the General Assembly of the Southeast Michigan Council of Governments.

Members of the General Assembly were brought up-to-date on the plan as part of a public hearing Thursday.

Drafted as the result of a 1985 directive from the Michigan Water Resources Commission, the Rouge River Remedial Action Plan, also known as RAP, has been circulating in draft form throughout all 48 communities in the Rouge River basin.

The RAP has been approved by members of the Rouge River Basin Committee and Executive Steering Committee.

Committee members are hopeful the plan will serve as a guide for the implementation of corrective measures to improve water quality in the Rouge through the year 2005.

The recommendations made in the RAP will be implemented through a cooperative effort between the Water Resources Commission, the DNR, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and local units of government.

A key principle of the RAP is to proceed with feasible, high-

priority corrective measures as soon as possible. Early in the planning stages, it was determined that major sewer improvement programs were needed in the Rouge River basin.

Crucial to the success of the RAP are the North Huron Valley/Rouge Valley sewer project, also known as "Supersewer," and the Evergreen-Farmington Sewage Disposal System.

These projects are designed to eliminate sanitary sewer overflows and reduce combined sewer overflows to the Rouge River on a regional basis.

Combined sewer overflows represent an out-dated method of transporting waste. Prior to the 1950s, many communities built a sewer system which transported both water and sewage together, according to James Rogers, project manager for SEMCOG. During a heavy rainfall, he said, the sewage escaped from the system into the river.

RAP officials hope to solve the combined sewer overflow problem by either requiring communities to separate their sewers into two systems — one of sewage, one for water — or by providing minimum treatment of the water through an appropriate settling, skimming and disinfecting process.

Phase I of the RAP calls for

the optimization of existing collection systems and the development of a long-term plan to address combined sewer overflow problems.

Phase II includes the actual construction of sewage control facilities. Phase III is the evaluation of the program to determine actual impact on the river.

The phased-in combined sewer overflow program is expected to take 20 years to fully implement, at an estimated cost of \$500 million.

RAP officials are no longer recommending the creation of a single drainage district to fund improvements called for by the plan.

"We're going to revisit that issue," Ted Starbuck, environmental planner for SEMCOG, said. "We may focus on creating two separate districts, one in Wayne County and one in Oakland County."

To meet the RAP's combined sewer overflow objectives, local communities may wish to separate sewer systems or build their own treatment facilities.

Following is the estimated cost to local communities opting for the partial separation of sewers:

- Belleville, N/A;
- Canton, N/A;
- Inkster, \$16,821,000;
- Romulus, N/A;
- Wayne, \$2,799,000;
- Westland, \$7,024,000.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CITY OF ROMULUS MASTER PLAN

The City of Romulus Planning Commission has scheduled a Public Hearing on the proposed City of Romulus Master Land Use Plan to be held on Monday, April 17, 1989 at 8:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers at Romulus City Hall, 11111 S. Wayne, Romulus, Michigan 48174. The purpose of the Public Hearing is to receive comments regarding the adoption of the Master Land Use Plan for the City of Romulus. The proposed Master Plan is on display during regular business hours at Romulus City Clerk's Office. Written comments may be submitted to David J. Paul prior to or at the Public Hearing. The Master Plan includes maps, charts, graphs and scriptive text relative to the City Planning Commission's recommendations for the future development of the City. Elements of the proposed Master Plan include the following:

Population and Housing
Economic Development
Existing Land use
Goals and Objectives
Community Facilities
Thoroughfares
Land Use Plan

Linda R. Choate, CMC
Clerk
City of Romulus

Publish: March 29, 1989

NOTICE NOXIOUS WEEDS NOTICE NOTICE TO THE PROPERTY OWNERS IN THE CITY OF ROMULUS

In accordance with P.A. 359 of 1941, as amended and Chapter 19, Article 3, Section 19-33 of the Romulus Code of Ordinances it shall be the duty of all owners of lands on which noxious weeds are found growing, to destroy the same before they reach a seed bearing stage and to prevent such weeds from becoming a detriment to public health. If any such owner, agent or occupant of such land shall refuse to destroy such noxious weeds or cause them to be destroyed, it shall be the duty of the Noxious Weed Commissioner to enter upon such lands and destroy such noxious weeds. Any expense incurred in such destruction shall be paid by the owner or owners of such land and the City shall have a lien against such land for such expense. Any owner who shall refuse to destroy such noxious weeds shall be subject to a fine of not more than \$500.00 and or not more than 90 days in jail. Nothing in this notice shall apply to weeds in fields devoted to growing any small grain crop such as Wheat, Oats, Barley or Rye. All weeds not cut by May 29, 1989, will be cut by the City and the owner of the property will be charged with the cost. This notice given pursuant to P.A. 359 of 1941 as amended, section 247.64a.

Linda R. Choate, Clerk
City of Romulus

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March 29, 1989

CHAPTER 22 AMENDMENT 1 CITY OF ROMULUS, MICHIGAN

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ARTICLE II, SECTION 22-33, AN ORDINANCE CREATING A PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION.

The City Council of the City of Romulus Ordains:

SECTION 1: Short Title: Recreation Commission

SECTION 2: Section 22-33 is hereby amended to read as follows: Section 22-33. Terms, Members of the Parks and Recreation Commission shall serve for a term of three (3) years, except that the three (3) members first appointed shall serve for a term of one (1) year, three (3) for a term of two (2) years and three (3) for a term of three (3) years.

SECTION 3: Severability: Should any section, subdivision, clause, or phase of this ordinance be declared by the courts to be invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of the ordinance as whole, or any part thereof, other than the part so invalidated.

SECTION 4: Penalty: Any person violating, or neglecting or refusing to comply with any of the provisions of this ordinance shall upon conviction thereof be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by imposition of fine not to exceed Five hundred (\$500.00) dollars, or by imprisonment for a period not to exceed ninety (90) days, or by imposition of both fine and imprisonment within the discretion of the court. Each day that a violation is permitted to exist shall constitute a separate offense.

SECTION 5: Effective Date: The provisions of this ordinance are hereby ordered to take effect immediately upon publication in the manner prescribed by law.

I, Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk for the City of Romulus, Michigan, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of an Ordinance adopted at the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held on the 6th day of March, 1989.

Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk
City of Romulus

ATTEST: Beverly McAnally, Mayor

Within forty-five (45) days after the publication of any ordinance duly passed by the Council, a petition may be presented to the Council protesting against such ordinance continuing in effect. Said petition shall contain the text of such ordinance and shall be signed by not less than Six (6%) percent of the registered electors registered at the last preceding election which a Mayor of the City was elected. Said Ordinance shall thereupon and thereby be suspended from operation and the Council shall immediately reconsider such Ordinance.

CHAPTER 22
AMENDMENT 1
PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION.

Introduced: February 27, 1989
Adopted: March 6, 1989
Published: March 29, 1989



**NATIONAL
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&
TECHNOLOGY
WEEK '89**
APRIL 23-29

CITY OF ROMULUS OFFER TO PURCHASE

BID #89-14 ITEM(S) One Aluminum Four Door Diesel Fire Pumper Sealed proposals on the above item(s) will be received in the Office of the City Clerk, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan, until 2:00 p.m., April 6, 1989. At that time said proposals will be publicly opened and read.

1) Proposals shall be submitted on forms furnished by the City, which may be obtained at the Office of the Purchasing Director, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan, and shall be enclosed in an envelope endorsed with the Bid Number and Item.

2) The right is reserved to reject any and all proposals and to waive technicalities. Proposal guarantee in the amount of five (5%) of the bid will be required.

Linda R. Choate, Clerk
City of Romulus

Publish: March 29, 1989
April 5, 1989

CITY OF ROMULUS OFFER TO PURCHASE

BID #89-12 ITEM(S) Demolitions Sealed proposals on the above item(s) will be received in the Office of the City Clerk, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan, until 2:00 p.m., March 31, 1989. At that time said proposals will be publicly opened and read.

1) Proposals shall be submitted on forms furnished by the City, which may be obtained at the Office of the Purchasing Director, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan, and shall be enclosed in an envelope endorsed with the Bid Number and Item.

2) The right is reserved to reject any and all proposals and to waive technicalities. Proposals guarantee in the amount of five (5%) percent of the bid will be required.

Linda R. Choate, Clerk
City of Romulus

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March 29, 1989

CITY OF ROMULUS OFFER TO PURCHASE

BID #89-13 ITEM(S) 12-Scott Air Pack Bottles Sealed proposals on the above item(s) will be received in the Office of the City Clerk, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan, until 2:00 p.m., April 7, 1989. At that time said proposals will be publicly opened and read.

1) Proposals shall be submitted on forms furnished by the City, which may be obtained at the Office of the Purchasing Director, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan, and shall be enclosed in an envelope endorsed with the Bid Number and Item.

2) The right is reserved to reject any and all proposals and to waive technicalities. Proposal guarantee in the amount of five (5%) of the bid will be required.

Linda R. Choate, Clerk
City of Romulus

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CITY OF ROMULUS OFFER TO PURCHASE

BID #89-15 ITEM(S) One 1989 Ford Rescue Van, F350-Type I Sealed proposals on the above item(s) will be received in the Office of the City Clerk, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan, until 2:00 p.m., April 6, 1989. At that time said proposals will be publicly opened and read.

1) Proposals shall be submitted on forms furnished by the City, which may be obtained at the Office of the Purchasing Director, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan, and shall be enclosed in an envelope endorsed with the Bid Number and Item.

2) The right is reserved to reject any and all proposals and to waive technicalities. Proposal guarantee in the amount of five (5%) of the bid will be required.

Linda R. Choate, Clerk
City of Romulus

Publish: March 29, 1989
April 5, 1989

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE ROMULUS CITY COUNCIL HELD MARCH 6, 1989, IN THE ROMULUS CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS

The meeting was called ot order at 8:07 p.m., by Mary Ann Banks, Mayor Pro Tem.

PRESENT: Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Wadsworth
EXCUSED: Raspberry
ABSENT: None
Administrative Officials in Attendance:
Beverly McAnally, Mayor
Linda R. Choate, Clerk
James L. Napiorkowski, Treasurer

Motion Block, supported by Wadsworth, to accept the agenda as amended*
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Wadsworth. Nayes - None. Motion Carried Unanimously. 89-115

2A Motion by Bergeron, supported by Block, to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held February 27, 1989, as presented.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Wadsworth. Nayes - None. Motion Carried Unanimously. 89-114

4A Motion by Bergeron, supported by Wadsworth, to grant authorization to Julianna Miller, Attorney, Miller, Canfield, Paddock and Stone, to proceed as directed in legal matter of Kelsey Hayes vs City of Romulus.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Wadsworth. Nayes - None. Abstain: Pennington. Motion Carried. 89-116

Motion by Bergeron, supported by Gear, to accept the Chairman's Report as presented by Mary Ann Banks, Mayor Pro Tem.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Wadsworth. Nayes - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

5A Motion by Gear, supported by Pennington, to concur with the recommendation of Mayor Beverly McAnally and approve the consent agenda Items 5A1 through 5A4 as follows:

5A1 to grant authorization to let bids for twelve (12) Scott Air Pack Bottles, to replace out dated stock, funds are available in account number #101-336.00-970.000. 89-115

5A2 to grant authorization to let bids for One (1) Computerized Sign Maker, to be used by the D.P.W. Sign Department, funds are available in account numbers #202-474.00-730.000 and #203-474.00-730.000, Major/Local Roads Traffic Service. 89-117

5A3 to introduce Budget Amendment C-88/89-16, for the purpose of providing funds for the extension of Water Service at Elmer Johnson park as follows:

FUND/DEPARTMENT ACCOUNT NUMBER	ACCOUNT NAME	CURRENT BUDGET	AMEND- MENT	AMENDED BUDGET
101-691.00-970.000	Capital Outlay	35,100	(10,100)	25,000
Water & Sewer Fund Water				
592.000.00-823.200	Engineering Fees	20,000	2,447	22,447
592.000.00-930.200	Repair & Maintenance	35,000	7,633	42,633

89-118

54A to acknowledge revenue and expenditure budget report dated February 22, 1989, as presented by Mayor Beverly McAnally.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Wadsworth. Nayes - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

5B NO ACTION TAKEN - FOR YOUR INFORMATION

5C NO ACTION TAKEN - FOR YOUR INFORMATION

5 Motion by Bergeron, supported by Gear, to accept the Mayor's Report as presented by Mayor Beverly McAnally.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Banks, Block, Gear, Pennington, Wadsworth. Nayes - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

6A1 Motion by Block, supported by Wadsworth, to concur with the request of Michigan Bell and grant approval for a 20' x 20' easement on the grassy area between the 34th District Court parking lot and Wayne Road, for the purpose of installing an above ground utility in a metal cabinet that will be tied into underground cable, further the north, south and west side of said easement must be landscaped with a type of shrub that will reach the approximate height of the cabinet.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Wadsworth. Nayes - None. Motion Carried Unanimously. 89-119

6A2 Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Bergeron, to introduce Chapter II, Article V.2, an ordinance to amend Chapter II, Article V, Section 2-413(A) and (B), Section 2-416(11) and Section 2-417, an ordinance providing for the Acquisition and Disposition of City Owned Property.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Wadsworth. Nayes - None. Motion Carried Unanimously. 89-120

6A3 Motion by Gear, supported by Wadsworth, to adopt Chapter 22, Amendment 1, an Ordinance to amend Article II, Section 22-23, an Ordinance creating a Parks and Recreation Commission, this ordinance was introduced in the minutes of the regular meeting held February 27, 1989 by resolution number 89-101.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Wadsworth. Nayes - None. Motion Carried Unanimously. 89-121

6B1 Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Gear, to receive and file the Treasurer's Monthly Cash Balance Report for January, 1989, as presented by James L. Napiorkowski, City Treasurer.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Wadsworth. Nayes - None. Motion Carried Unanimously. 89-122

9A Motion by Bergeron, supported by Block, to rescind resolution 89-036, appointments to the Recreation Commission for One (1) year terms.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Wadsworth. Nayes - None. Motion Carried Unanimously. 89-123

9 Motion by Gear, supported by Wadsworth, to concur with the recommendation of the Advisory Appointment Committee, pursuant to Chapter 22, Article II, Parks and Recreation Commission, Section 22-23 as amended, and appoint the following members to the Recreation Commission Dorothy Icenogle, Tom Williams, and Amy Anderson, for a One (1) year term, expiring January 23, 1990, Dan Bales, Walter Goeckel and Tereatha Allen, for two (2) year terms, expiring January 23, 1919, and Jerry Kittle, Dan Doss and Dorothy Murray, for a Three (3) year term, expiring January 23, 1992, said terms will become effective upon publication of Ordinance.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Wadsworth. Nayes - None. Motion Carried Unanimously. 89-124

11 Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Bergeron, to adjourn the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Wadsworth. Nayes - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,
Linda R. Choate, CMC Clerk
City of Romulus, Michigan

I, Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk, for the City of Romulus, Michigan, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of the minutes of the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held March 6, 1989.

Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk
City of Romulus, Michigan

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SCHOOL NEWS

SCHOOL NEWS
DIGEST

Students attend
job workshop

Students from Wayne County schools will take a trip into the future to see what occupations await them in the workplace of tomorrow.

The students will visit "Michigan Works '89: a Journey through the American Job Warp," which is slated April 5 and 6 in Oakland Hall of the Cobo Conference/Exhibition Center, in Detroit.

During the visit, they will see how 30 different occupations have changed in as little as a decade and how those jobs could change in the future. They will have an opportunity to speak with workers and learn what new skills or advanced education is needed for the jobs of the future.

Actual work situations, including a functioning garage and high-tech crime lab, will show visitors the technology used in each job.

The exhibit is sponsored by the Michigan departments of commerce, labor and education and the Michigan State University College of Education.

Cory scholars
net awards

Several students at Cory Elementary School, in Romulus, have been selected as recipients of the Presidential Academic Fitness Award for 1989. The winners include Emily Hickman, Gerald Luster, Eric Nunlee, LaTanya Massey, Lemas Mitchell and Kristine Moe.

The students will be honored at a special banquet in the spring.

The Presidential Academic Fitness Awards Program, established by the U.S. Department of Education in 1983, helps schools honor students for academic achievement.

Correction

The photo cutline under the story "Halecreek youths display 'classical' talents" in the March 15 issue of *The Romulus Roman* should have said the female pianist was Julie Yonts.

Student writers
sought for contest

To commemorate and celebrate the 150th anniversary of photography, an essay contest, sponsored by the Michigan Photographic Historical Society, will be staged for all Michigan high school students.

Entrants are to submit essays of 500 to 1,000 words by June 1. Prizes will be \$250, \$100 and \$50 cash awards and 10 honorable mention certificates. The winning essay will be published in *Photogram*, the newsletter of the MPHS.

For more information, write: Essay Contest, Michigan Photographic Historical Society, P.O. Box 12278, Birmingham, Mich. 48012-2278 or call Martin, 226-3763.

Birds displayed
at Merriman

Members of the Wildlife Recovery Association, near Clare, recently visited six separate groups of students at Merriman Elementary School, in Romulus.

The wildlife experts brought along injured birds from a wildlife hospital to give students an up-close look at the birds.

Showcased to the students were a red-tailed hawk, a screech owl, horned owl and a turkey vulture.

Compiled by THOMAS M. VARCIE

Romulus student meets her pen-pal

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

One little balloon was the beginning of a heart-warming friendship between a Romulus girl and a man in Pennsylvania.

When Amy Robbins, 11, participated in a balloon send-off with her girl scout group four years ago, she was not sure if anyone would respond to the message she had attached to the balloon.

Within a week, however, she had received a letter from the man who would become her "adopted grandfather," Frank Walton. Robbins' balloon had traveled approximately 270 miles to reach Walton's home in Guy Mills, Penn.

Walton returned the card attached to the balloon and a friendship via the postal service began.

After four years of exchanging cards, letters and an occasional telephone call, Robbins met Walton and his wife, Anna, for the first time Saturday. The meeting was a last-minute date arranged by Robbins' mother, Linda.

"I thought it was a really nice surprise," Anna said. "Our granddaughter is only five so he (Frank) really enjoys writing to Amy."

Walton even carries a photo of his pen pal in his wallet to show off to friends.

Robbins has received messages back after three balloon send-offs, but Walton is her favorite "balloon finder."

"One went to Ohio, actually, to Toledo," she said.

She received one response from a teen-age boy in Ohio and another from a family friend in Romulus.



After four years of friendship via letters, 11-year-old Amy Robbins met her "adoptive grandparents" from Pennsylvania for the first time Saturday. It was a balloon with a note attached that instigated the friendship between Robbins and Frank and Anna Walton (above). ANP photo by Florence Meeks

Advanced math students are
standouts at Cory elementary

By THOMAS M. VARCIE
ANP Staff Writer

When Eric Nunlee was in second grade, he was in a third-grade math class. Now, a sixth-grader at Cory Elementary School, in Romulus, Nunlee has little trouble in his ninth-grade algebra class.

That seems to tell the story for Nunlee. But there's more.

"Then, in fourth grade, the whole school took a test on math and I was the fourth best in the school. Then I was placed in the sixth-grade math," Nunlee said.



But how did this love of figures, decimals, numbers and formulas begin?

"Every night when I was in kindergarten, my mother would count and add with me and to me. She's real good in math and so is my dad," Nunlee said.

The extra tutoring obviously helped the student, who earns A's in the algebra class, taught by Cory Elementary Principal Pete Silveri.

"I take the math classes with the top seven math students in the school. The class is pretty tough sometimes, but I must study a lot for the tests," Nunlee said. "I like algebra better than anything. I also like geometry. Next year I hope to take that at the junior high."

In high school, Nunlee said he wants to take tougher math classes and possibly classes offered at the community college.

Because of his math skills, Nunlee said he has earned respect from his friends. Sometimes students ask him to do their homework, but he always says "no."

"I would like to try tutoring. If someone asked me today, I would tutor them," he said.

In the future, Nunlee said he wants to become an engineer.

Aside from his love of mathematics, Nunlee said he likes basketball and particularly enjoys watching the Detroit Pistons play. He also likes playing football.

A second math wizard attends Cory Elementary School. He is sixth-grader Gerald Luster.

Like Nunlee, Luster's love of mathematics began at an early age.

"In second grade, I asked my cousin about fractions. I went

to my teacher and she gave me a worksheet on fractions and it was sort of easy for me," Luster said.

In third grade, Luster was given the fourth-grade math book to use. As time went on, his math skills improved. And, like Nunlee, Luster is taking Silveri's algebra class.

"Math has always been fun to me. My father and mother both are good in math and they've helped me along in it," Luster said. "In junior high, I want to take geometry and the highest levels of math classes. The same for high school."

Luster's sister, Erika, is taking calculus at Romulus Senior High School. While she does her homework, Luster watches - and learns.

Aside from career decisions and math class, Luster enjoys sports.



For the birds

Students at Cory Elementary School, in Romulus, were excited to receive visitors from the Wildlife Recovery Association. Joe Rogers, a biologist, showed students various owls, vultures and hawks, indicating the various adaptations of each bird. The animals were once injured. Because, they are unable to return to the wild, they are used for demonstration purposes. Rogers (above) shows students the incredible wind which is created when a bird flaps its wings. ANP photo by Barbara Wilson

Students battle drugs

By THOMAS M. VARCIE
ANP Staff Writer

Students attending Romulus Community Schools are learning more than reading, writing and arithmetic.

Through the Drug Abuse Resistance Education program, offered by the Romulus Police Department, students can learn about drug resistance and the warnings of drug use, according to Romulus Police Officer John Smagner, coordinator of the program.

For the next 17 weeks, sixth-grade students at Halecreek, Merriman and Cory elementary schools, in Romulus, will be told about the dangerous effects of drugs.

Smagner said. Last semester, students at Hayti, Barth, Wick and Beacon Day Treatment schools, all in Romulus, participated in DARE.

The DARE program is funded with drug forfeiture money confiscated by police.

"In the classroom, it's more personalized. It's just like teaching a class. You have a more controlled environment," Smagner said. "This way students also get to see police officers in a different light. They see them as someone who can be helpful to people."

When the 17-week course has ended, students are allowed to walk through a special graduation ceremony and receive a certificate of completion.

Math standouts chosen for test

By THOMAS M. VARCIE
ANP Staff Writer

Eight math students at Cory Elementary School, in Romulus, participated in a math test which tested more than just their subtraction and addition.

The students - Emily Hickman, Gerald Luster, Eric Nunlee, LaTanya Massey, Kristine Moe, Bruce Robertson, Michelle Slawinski and Heather Ward

- took the test and two of those students earned a place at the Michigan Council for Teachers of Mathematics test, Cory Principal Pete Silveri said.

Sixth-graders Gerald Luster and Eric Nunlee will participate in the test April 22 at the University of Detroit.

"These students are amazing. They are all highly motivated students who want to do well and have done well

throughout their elementary school years," Silveri said. "They actually are looking for a challenge in their work to keep their minds stimulated."

If Luster and Nunlee do well in the area competition, they will advance to a state tournament.

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Boat-pollution bill is passed

Members of the state House of Representatives have passed a bill that would require boats that have marine sanitation devices to also be equipped with pollution-control devices.

The bill would prohibit the discharge of raw sewage from boats into state waters. Docking facilities with a capacity of 16 water craft or more would have to provide pump-out facilities with sanitation holding tanks.

The bill is now in the state Senate.

Lawmakers OK bond expenditures

Members of the state Legislature recently approved the first expenditure from the \$800 million quality of life bond issue approved by voters last year.

The \$101 million plan for 1989 includes \$23.2 million for toxic-waste cleanup, \$21.9 million for closing unlicensed landfills, \$8.2 million for improving wastewater-treatment facilities, \$25 million for Great Lakes protection, \$20 million for state-park repairs and \$2.7 million for administration and implementation.

Living will bill eyed by lawmakers

A bill recently passed by members of a state House committee would allow Michigan residents to control the medical treatment they undergo when terminally ill, via a "living will."

The legally binding written statement to a person's family doctor would specify what medical treatment the individual desires if he or she becomes irreversibly injured or sick.

Lawmakers OK franchise bill

State lawmakers have unanimously approved a bill to reform state franchise law and improve the Michigan business climate.

In the new law, franchisers will no longer face rescission of a franchise agreement as a penalty for failing to meet state-filing deadlines.

Franchisers will continue to face civil penalties of \$100 per day, until filing requirements are met.

Plan rewarding good attendance

A recently introduced state House bill would establish the Governor's Achievement Incentive program, also known as GAIN, to reward Michigan schools that demonstrate improvement in students' academic performance, increased attendance rates and reduced dropout rates.

The program would provide annual funding of \$15 million to support the GAIN awards to schools that most successfully meet the district improvement plan.

Claims court is expanded in bill

Legislation recently introduced in the state House would expand the jurisdiction of small claims court and simplify the judicial procedure.

The bill would increase the limit of small claims sessions from \$1,500 to \$2,000 and allow certain fraud causes to be heard in small claims court.

Truck weights are reviewed

Members of a state House transportation subcommittee are reviewing the current 160,000-pound truck weight limit in Michigan.

The panel will investigate concerns that the state truck limit, the highest in the country, results in more rapid deterioration of state roads and poses a safety hazard to other drivers.

Lawsuit sought: Educators ask for fair funding

By FLORENCE WEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

Representatives of the In-Formula School District Caucus have announced plans to combat what they see as unfair state funding of education.

Caucus leaders announced Thursday that they would request a declaratory judgement from Wayne County Circuit Court regarding the use of public school funds to challenge the constitutionality of the current system for determining state funding for schools.

Caucus members expressed outrage over the current system. They said the current system allows a \$5,000 funding gap between affluent districts with high tax bases and not-so-wealthy districts.

At the time of the announcement, 114 of the 250 in-formula districts in the caucus added their support to the action.

In-formula school districts receive funds from the state based on the number of students enrolled in the district.

Caucus leaders are also considering a ballot petition for the 1990 general election to clarify the constitutional responsibilities of the state.

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Superintendent Wayne-Westland schools

state support for public schools is unconstitutional because it results in substantially unequal educational opportunity for many of the children and youth of this state," Richard Wilson, caucus chairman said.

"The caucus believes that the current method of funding is so unequal that it will not stand serious judicial challenge. However, it is necessary first to ascertain the legality of utilizing public funds for such a purpose," he said.

If litigation is declared lawful, each participating district will be responsible for a \$250 contribution plus 15 cents per student, Wilson said.

He added that the law firm representing the caucus, Plunkett & Cooney, is not accepting legal fees in this bat-

tle unless the caucus wins.

Most area educators agreed this most recent plan of action is necessary.

"We've been involved with this all along," said Elvin Peets, superintendent of the Van Buren School District. "I don't know what chance it has, but somehow a strong action must be taken. We are in support of this action."

Members of the Wayne-Westland Board of Education plan to discuss the plan at a meeting soon, according to Superintendent Dennis O'Neill.

"I plan to recommend the board join that litigation," O'Neill said. "We've failed every other attempt to reach equity."

"We aren't a member," remarked Plymouth/Canton Su-

Local lawmaker supporting new plan for school reform

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

One local lawmaker still believes that "the death of school-finance reform is a bit premature."

State Rep. William Keith (D-Garden City) said this week that he believes that the lawmakers will push for a school finance reform bill this fall.

"There is no doubt in my mind that most of us want a bill, and that is a priority item here in Lansing," Keith said. "But I believe we all want something that will be fair and equitable for all of the school districts."

The lawmakers' last attempt, a package that would increase the state sales tax

from 4 to 6 cents in exchange for a 30- to 35-percent decrease in property taxes, didn't receive Senate approval earlier this month.

Meanwhile, Keith said, members of the House Education Committee, of which he is chairman, passed out of committee House Bill 4336, the state school-aid appropriation bill. The legislation was referred last week to the House Appropriations Committee.

The bill reduces state aid to wealthy districts by boosting the basic-aid provisions and removes all categoricals from the school-aid formula, with the exception of the special-education categorical (\$172 million) and pumps that money back into the formula, accord-

ing to Keith.

The change will bring the total number of in-formula districts from 404 to 433 and 29,260 children back into formula, Keith said. The new general membership formula will guarantee \$103.21 per mill the school district levies.

"Changing accounting practices will bring school districts more in sync with the state's accounting practices," Keith said. "This would help about 100 districts that are facing deficits. But it doesn't take the problem away."

In the proposed bill, districts would be able to use their August state-aid payment for the current school year, rather than applying it to the upcoming year.

Kids are belted in new state bill

By TERRY JACOBY
ANP Staff Writer

One local lawmaker hopes to save up to 50 lives by sponsoring a new addition to the state seat-belt law.

The bill, proposed by state Rep. James Kosteva (D-Canton Township), has been approved by members of the state House of Representatives. It requires children 16 and younger to wear seat belts, regardless of where they sit in an automobile.

The current seat-belt law—which was renewed by state lawmakers last week—does not require back-seat passengers to wear seat belts, with the exception of children ages 4 and younger.

"I'm very pleased that the bill was passed, especially since children aged 4 to 16 have the lowest seat-belt usage compared to all other age groups," Kosteva said. "Requiring children to use seat belts at all

times will encourage them to use them throughout their lives."

The bill will now go to the state Senate for consideration. However, despite 68-33 approval by House members, Kosteva believes the bill will be opposed in the Senate.

"There are a number of senators who believe it is not the government's job to make this decision for people," Kosteva said. "But, if it is going to have this much of an impact, it is needed."

Kosteva estimated that there are more than 140,000 injuries in auto accidents every year in Michigan. In 80 percent of the cases, the passenger is not wearing a seat belt, he said.

In the 4- to 16-year-old age group, highway accidents are the leading cause of death, Kosteva continued.

"It's been proven time and again that seat-belt use helps to prevent injury and fatalities," Kosteva said. "It also helps to keep automobile insurance

rates lower. This legislation makes Michigan's current seat belt law even more effective."

And, although the bill is expected to save lives, local insurance officials don't believe it will save drivers money.

"It will have a very negligible effect on insurance rates," said David Carpenter, of Langworthy-Kendall agency, in Wayne. "The idea is very good if it is to save lives, but I don't see it as a money saver."

Carpenter predicted only a \$7 savings on a policy which covered personal injury.

In the new bill, a seat-belt violation would remain a secondary offense, and police officers would be prohibited from stopping motorists and ticketing them solely for a seat-belt infraction.

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perintendent John Hoben. "But, it's obvious to me something has to be done...There's a great inequity."

William Bedell, superintendent of Romulus Community Schools, is doubtful the caucus action will succeed. Romulus and approximately 20 other districts attempted a similar action six or seven years ago, he said. The circuit court and

Michigan Court of Appeals ruled against the attempt. The Michigan Supreme Court rejected it, he said.

"All of our judges are elected. They can't afford the luxury of political integrity," Bedell said. "I think they will fail again."

Educators predict between 80 and 100 school districts will be technically bankrupt by the end of this year.

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Spring cleaning

Home-improvement season means permits

Editor's note: A chart last week in the Today section of the Associated Newspapers contained inaccurate information about building permits. This story and accompanying chart are designed to clarify the information already presented.

By THOMAS M. VARCIE
ANP Staff Writer

As the seasonal temperatures increase, so will the number of home improvements. Homeowners are reminded that, along with home improvements, building permits are needed.

When an improvement on the home or yard is planned, local building officials suggest that homeowners check with the building department to see if a permit is required.

"When in doubt, call the building department," explained Anita Parsons, secretary of the Van Buren Township building department. "There are so many things a permit is needed for, and so few things it's not. But they must have the permit before the work is started."

The building department should also be called immediately when residential building plans are considered, Parsons said. The department acts as a check on the homeowner to determine what is needed for the job and how the building codes will be fulfilled.

"The building department can always check what you need and, in many cases, will save you money by what they tell you," Parsons said. "They can tell you what type of permit is needed before you start and how many permits you'll need. Some may need permits for plumbing, electrical or heating."

Building permits and subsequent work inspections are required for public-safety reasons, according to Bill Pargo, building official in Belleville.

"The premise for getting the permit is to provide for the health, safety and protection of the public," Pargo said.

The determining factor for obtaining a permit is often

When do you need a building permit?

Spring is typically the season for home improvements, and it is also the time of year when homeowners wonder if they need a building permit before making such improvements.

What follows is a list of the various building-permit rules for each city served by the Associated Newspapers. Also listed below are the various home improvements which require municipal building permits.

When do you need a building permit? When you are:

- Reframing, restructuring a house
- Constructing home addition
- Installing new electrical work
- Erecting new fence
- Adding new shingles/roof

- Constructing a new garage
- Laying cement work
- Installing new plumbing
- Add chimney to house
- Adding aluminum siding

- Constructing a shed
- Making structural change
- Adding any swimming pool
- Adding new porch to house
- Making interior renovations

COMMUNITY	WHERE TO APPLY	PROCESSING TIME	COSTS OR FEES	OTHER INFORMATION
Belleville	Building dept. 687-9323	15 to 30 minutes, unless plan is complicated	\$10 application fee; \$25 for each inspection needed	May need site or plot plan
Canton	Building dept. 397-1000	3 to 5 days is average	New construction - \$25 for first \$3,000 of project costs; \$5 for each additional \$1,000. For other improvements, fees are \$25 for first \$1,000, \$50 for \$10,001 to \$10,000.	May need site plan, depending on size of project. Most projects require site plans.
Inkster	Building dept. 563-7716	1 to 5 days is average	\$25 for first \$1,000 of project cost; \$7 for each \$1,000 up to \$10,000; \$3 for every \$1,000 thereafter	May need site plan. City certification needed to sell or rent home.
Romulus	Building dept. 942-7550	1 to 10 days is average	Above-ground pool - \$15; \$25 for first \$1,000 of costs; \$7 per \$1,000 thereafter	May need site plan. City certification needed to sell or rent house.
Van Buren	Building dept. 689-8913	1 to 2 days is average	\$20 for projects up to \$1,000; \$6.50 per \$1,000 thereafter	May need site plan.
Wayne	Building dept. 722-2000	Additions - 1 day New home - 5 to 7 days Utilities - 3 days	\$15 for projects up to \$250; \$25 for projects between \$251 and \$500; \$30 for projects between \$501 and \$10,000; \$120 for projects up to \$1,000, plus \$1 for every \$1,000 more than \$1,001 and up to \$10,000. If more than \$10,001, call dept.	May need site plan. City certification not needed to sell house.
Westland	Building dept. 467-3210	1 to 2 days; 7 days for major projects	\$25 minimum fee; \$6 per \$1,000 between \$1,000 and \$10,000; \$4 per \$1,000 between \$10,001 and \$20,000; \$3 per \$1,000 between \$20,001 and \$50,000; \$2 per \$1,000 thereafter	May need site plan. City certification needed to sell or rent house.

SOURCE: Local building departments

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based on information in an application. All homeowners seeking a permit must complete an application, Pargo said. Officials in the building department then determine which permits and inspections will be needed.

Homeowners should read the permits carefully to see what is covered and what work can legally be completed, Pargo said. Illegal work or work completed without a proper permit or no permit at all is subject to a fine.

Fines generally are calculated by doubling the required-permit fee, Parsons said.

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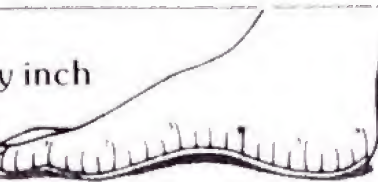
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By Andrew J. Hopkins, M.D.

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High fiber diets lessen the risk of colon cancer. There is evidence that foods high in vitamin A (carrots, peaches, and squash) and foods high in vitamin C (oranges, grapefruit, cantaloupe, and strawberries) also reduce cancer risk.

There are other ways to improve your diet to protect yourself. Trim visible fat from meat. Avoid salt-cured, smoked, or nitrite-cured foods. And keep your weight at a level appropriate to your height.

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If you smoke, stop. Smoking is the primary cause of lung cancer and can contribute to many other types of cancer.

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If you drink, do so only in moderation. Alcohol may increase your risk of liver cancer.

Most Americans will never get cancer. In fact, medical experts estimate that only one in three people develop cancer during their lifetime. There are personal differences in risk factors. If you have questions concerning your individual health, ask your doctor.

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'Federal deficit hits home'

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

The federal deficit not only is a national concern but is a threat to the well-being of local communities, according to U.S. Senator Carl Levin (D-Detroit).

Levin voiced his concerns about the impact of the national debt during a public forum in Canton Township March 20.

The national debt, currently estimated at \$2.6 trillion, cuts into funding for several community programs, Levin said.

"The so-called community block grant funding is in jeopardy," Levin said.

Communities receive funding for community-development block-grants annually. The money is earmarked for organizations or individuals who can make a specific contribution to their town. Recipients include youth-assistance programs, cultural groups and organizations which help the needy or handicapped.

"The deficit has seen a slow-down in road monies," Levin continued.

Funding that was once used for road improvements or development is now going toward alleviating the deficit, Levin said. In addition, the deficit has harmed other community-development programs, such as the Urban Development Action Grant, according to Levin.

The senator is not optimistic about future improvements in federal assistance to local communities.

"Until we address the deficit, I don't think it's likely. They're (communities) going to continue to be squeezed. Roads and development programs will continue to be squeezed."

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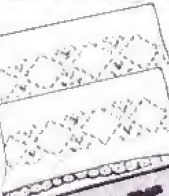
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Local elections

1989 is the year for council, school seats

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

With a lack of presidential debates and controversial national issues on the ballot, this election year promises to be less dramatic than 1988. Election issues will focus closer to home, officials said, with an eye toward school millages and mayoral elections.

Wayne County Clerk James Killeen said, at this point, there will be no state or county items on the ballot for voter consideration this year.

"There's nothing in the mill right now," Killeen said.

Controversy concerning the use of automatic weapons, however, may lead to a statewide referendum, Killeen predicted.

Community elections will draw the attention of voters this year. A number of local officials will be vying for office and several proposals will be put before voters.

• In Westland, residents will select a mayor and four members of city council this November. Mayor Charles Griffin is expected to run for re-election to a second four-year term.

Council seats which will be available this year in Westland

now belong to councilmen, Kenneth Mehl, A. Kent Herbert, Benjamin DeHart and William Ziemba. City Clerk Diane Rohraff said none of the officials have requested petitions for re-election yet.

• In Romulus, voters will be asked to make a "clean sweep" of public officials. The mayor, clerk, treasurer and seven city council positions will be open.

Several officials have expressed interest in running again, including Mayor Beverly McAnally and Councilman Ellis Pennington, according to City Clerk Linda Choate. Choate is also expected to campaign for re-election.

Voters will also select two members of the Romulus Board of Education this year. The seats are currently occupied by Dan Bales, treasurer, and Sandra Langley. School elections are scheduled for June 12.

Voters will also consider two proposals. For Romulus schools, voters will decide whether or not school board members should serve four-year terms. Currently they serve for two years. The second issue on the ballot pertains to the minimum city contract price subject to competitive bids. If approved, councilmembers

could change the minimum amount at their leisure.

• Wayne will also be the scene of city elections this year. Along with the position of mayor, currently occupied by Patrick Norton, three council seats will open. The seats include those of Robert Beeny, Thomas Kelly and Albert Damitio.

• Voters in the Wayne-Westland Community Schools district, including Wayne, Westland, Inkster and Canton, will have two board of education positions to consider. The terms of Andrew Spisak, Jr., president of the board of education, and Kenneth Barnhill Jr., treasurer, will expire in June. Spisak has requested a petition for re-election, according to Wayne-Westland school officials.

• In Belleville, voters will select to city councilmembers. Agnes Frisch, city clerk, said neither David Fields nor Richard Smith have formally announced plans to campaign for re-election.

Communities with city elections this year will host primary elections for those offices Sept. 12. At least three people must petition for a particular office to justify a primary election. If a primary is not neces-

sary, all petitioners will have their names placed on the November ballot.

Millage proposals will also vie for voter attention this year.

• One election, for Inkster and Westwood school districts, was staged Monday. Voters in the Inkster approved an 8-mill tax package. The package included a plan to maintain current educational levels, to improve programs and to remove asbestos from the schools.

A mill represents \$1 of property tax for each \$1,000 of state equalized property value.

In the Westwood school district, voters turned down a 7-mill package.

• In Van Buren Township, voters will decide the fate of a 4-mill increase April 17. Belleville schools, as well as Van Buren schools, would be affected.

Voters in the Plymouth-Canton school district will fill one school board position and vote on a millage increase. Board President Dave Artley has announced his plans to run for re-election to his board post.

School officials are asking for a 4-mill increase as well as an 8-mill renewal for the schools.

State bill to aid local incinerators

By JIM RINK
ANP Staff Writer

A bill which would allow the continuation of incinerator ash disposal in one area landfill was passed by members of the state House of Representatives March 21, helping to alleviate the concerns of officials from the Central Wayne County Sanitation Authority.

House Bill 4311, if passed by the Senate, would allow members of the authority to continue to dispose of incinerator ash in the authority-owned landfill in Huron Township.

Member communities include Dearborn Heights, Garden City, Inkster, Wayne and Westland.

"This legislation would define the landfill and trucking requirements for incinerator ash," said Ralph D. Magid, director of public services for Wayne and a director of CWCSA. "...without passage of HB 4311, it is feared that there may be a move underway to completely prohibit incinerator ash from being placed in the authority-owned landfill in the future."

The bill would require that ash destined for the Huron Township landfill be placed in specially-lined and covered pits using clay, plastic or other non-porous substances.

"We feel this is safe and reasonable manner to dispose of ash," Magid said. "Without the capability of hauling ash to the authority-owned landfill, this would result in a significant increase in cost to each and every resident of the five communities comprising the Central Wayne County Sanitation Authority."

The bill, introduced by state Rep. Michael Griffin (D-

Jackson) Feb. 23, was approved by the House Conservation Committee, received the full support of the House March 21 and now awaits assignment to a Senate committee before consideration by the full Senate.

The proposed bill has received the reluctant support of members of the Michigan Environmental Council, also known as MEC, who endorsed recent amendments providing for stricter environmental controls and a greater public voice in the overall process.

The new guidelines established in HB 4311 would allow incinerator ash which has been declared hazardous to be stored in the specially-adapted landfills, saving local communities large amounts of money.

Under current state and federal guidelines, hazardous incinerator ash must be stored in a hazardous waste landfill.

For officials of the nearly-completed Detroit incinerator, the bill could mean an \$18 million difference in ash disposal costs.

For residents of Westland, costs associated with hazardous waste disposal could increase disposal fees by 10 times, according to Art Wiitala, Westland representative on CWCSA.

"I really don't believe the ash is hazardous," Wiitala said. "We've been asking our representatives to favor the bill. The bad part is, if we were required to dispose to a hazardous landfill, it would increase the garbage costs by 10 times."

"If we felt the ash was hazardous, our opinion would be different. The majority is household waste, we're not very industrial here."

Reactions mixed to new poll-closing bill

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

Although the 1992 presidential election is nearly four years away, a recently introduced federal bill has already sparked election-year debates locally.

U.S. Sen. Donald Riegle (D-Flint) introduced legislation March 16 that would establish a single poll-closing time in the continental United States for presidential elections. The bill would establish a uniform closing time of 9 p.m. Eastern Standard Time. Daylight Savings Time would be extended for two weeks in the Pacific Time Zone, allowing polls in that region to close at 7 p.m.

Locally, the current 8 p.m. poll-closing time would be changed to 9 p.m.

"The negative effect of early projections on voter turnout in presidential elections has been proven. The fact is that many people feel there is no use voting when the news media has already declared a winner. The current system harbors a feeling of 'my vote won't count anyway,'" Riegle said.

Local city clerks, who coordinate area elections, expressed mixed views about the bill last week.

"I believe, with polls closing different times throughout the country, it discourages voters. It's going to mean longer hours, but I don't have a problem with it," said Delphine Oden, Inkster city clerk.

Cheryl Fain, clerk for Van Buren Township, questioned whether or not a uniform poll closing time would be worthwhile.

"I would like to see it remain as it is," she said. "It would make an extremely long day for our workers. Election workers are hard enough to find as it is."

Linda Choate, Romulus city clerk, said the bill would have more impact on the West Coast. She questioned the reasoning for such a bill from a senator representing the Midwest.

"I would understand if he were a senator from Califor-

nia," she said.

Choate remembers the 1984 presidential election, during which members of the television media predicted a winner early in the evening. East Coast polls closed, but polls re-

mained open in the West.

"People stayed away from the polls in droves. It hurt the local candidates out there a lot," Choate said.

The bill is a good one, according to Loren Bennett, Canton

Township clerk.

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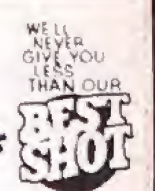
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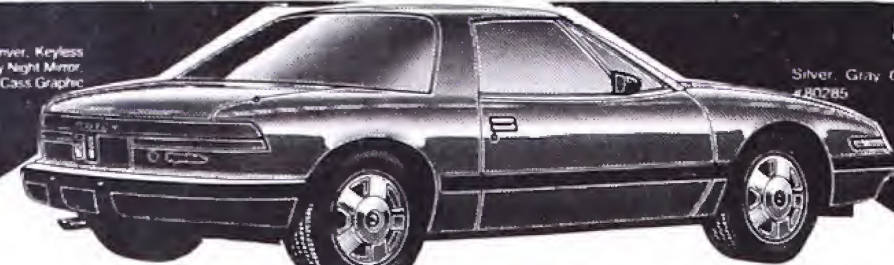


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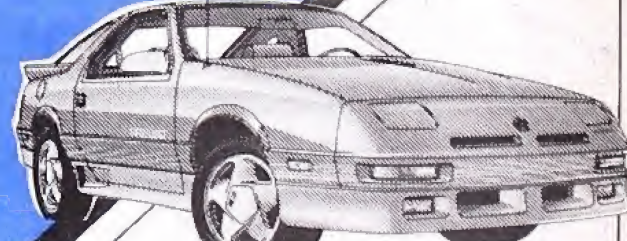
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Teen fad or fact?

White supremacists net local students

By JIM RINK
ANP Staff Writer

Local high schools today are filled with the "in" groups.

Yes, there are the "jocks," the "brains," and some reference is still made about the "burnouts."

But mention the word "skinhead," and you're likely to prompt a variety of responses about this new breed of a high school peer group.

Like anything else not fully understood, the term evokes strong images — most of them negative. But skinheads are not skin deep. There is more to them than meets the eye. Some of it is harmless. Some of it isn't.

The skinhead movement began in England in the late 1960s, initially to counter the free-wheeling, free-love movement, which characterized the "hippie" revolution.

The skinheads of the time wore conservative clothing and hair styles. Suspenders and work boots served to remind them of their ties to the working class. The conservative outlook was strengthened by strong beliefs against

Twenty years ago, the top four problems in school were chewing gum in class, talking, laughing and skipping school. Today, you see crack cocaine, felonious assault and murder.

premarital sex, alcohol and drugs.

Since then, the movement has evolved to include a variety of divergent views.

Rick (not his real name) is a student at Wayne Memorial High School, in Wayne. He is a separatist skinhead. He bears no animosity against minority groups but believes members of such groups should be segregated from a white society.

"Nobody realizes what the blacks are doing to us," Rick said. "More black kids are getting into colleges than white kids. The standards have been lowered. White people can't scream racism. They're racist against

us, but they're not recognized for it."

Bruce (not his real name) is also a student at Wayne Memorial. He is also a skinhead, but his personal beliefs are not affiliated with any one specific group.

"I don't see why everything has to come down to race," Bruce said. "People are people. Why can't everyone just be people? I'm just for all the races united. True skinheads are not racist."

John (not his real name) is a sophomore at Franklin High School, in Livonia. He is a white supremacist skinhead.

"White supremacist skinhead — that's the only kind of skinhead there is," John said. "Skinheads don't just have bald heads. Skinhead is a belief. People who say blacks and whites can live together are crazy."

Just how prevalent are skinheads? Do they pose any threat to society?

"What we have here is pseudo-skinheads," said Sgt. James Garred, of the Livonia Police Department youth bureau. "It's like the satanists or any other popular group. They read about it, hear about it, try to show outwardly they belong to that type of group. It's popular."

Livonia police officials have experienced problems which could be related to the skinhead movement, Garred said. But nothing has been serious enough to warrant major concerns.

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all around town

RECENTLY NAMED TO the dean's list at Anderson University was **Laura Slayton**, of Canton Township. The sophomore earned a grade-point average of at least 3.5 on a 4.0-point scale.

THREE AREA RESIDENTS have been entered in the U.S. Air Force Delayed Enlistment program. The three include **Johanna Watts**, and **Tamera Manson**, of Romulus, and **Robert Strutz**, of Wayne. After a six-week basic training course at Lackland Air Force Base, they will receive technical training in the mechanical aptitude area and be assigned to an Air Force duty station.

SERVICEMEN FROM WESTLAND who made the military news include **Pvt. Kelly Daniel**, daughter of Marie Daniel, who has completed an Army personnel actions specialist course at Fort Jackson, S.C. She is a 1986 graduate of John Glenn High School. **Pvt. Dawn McCoy**, daughter of Thomas Martin, has completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S.C. Her husband, Rogers, is the son of Rogers McCoy, of Westland. The private is a 1986 graduate of Wayne Memorial High School. **Army Pvt. 1st Class Christopher Sheets**, son of Robert Sheets, has arrived for duty at Fort Campbell, Ky. The serviceman is a light wheel mechanic with the 101st Aviation Regiment and a 1988 graduate of John Glenn High School.

AIRMAN MICHAEL SCHUCHERT Jr., the son of Michael and Sandra Schuchert, of Belleville, has graduated from Air Force basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas. He is a 1985 graduate of Romulus High School.

BELLEVILLE RESIDENT ROBERT Walters has received the 1989 Field Management Award from the Mutual of Omaha Companies. The award is the highest middle management honor presented by the agency. Only 34 of more than 400 company district sales managers nationwide qualified for the award, which recognizes outstanding achievement in policy-owners sales and service. He is a district sales manager for the Bruce A. Kintz division office, in Southfield.

ROMULUS RESIDENT JAY Mansfield and Westland resident **Donald Holdeman**, have earned memberships in the Lutheran Brotherhood 1988 Leaders Club. The club is one of the top sales honors of the fraternal benefit society. Representatives qualify for membership based on sales of insurance and investment products to Lutherans. Both members are associated with the Lutheran Brotherhood Karl W. Mueller Agency, in Rochester Hills.

APPROXIMATELY 1,000 WAYNE State University students have been named to the fall 1988 liberal arts dean's list. Students named to the list must have an honor-point average of at least 3.6 on a 4.0 scale. The local students include Belleville resident **Sonja Kapitan**, Canton Township residents **Merrill Banta**, **Michael Brannon**, **Jill Greed**, **Gary Hermanson**, **Jacqueline Huff**, **Suzanne Pletzer**, **Anuj Sharma**, **Renee Skoglund**, **Ramesh Sutariya**, **Erin Trame** and **Paul Wilson**; Inkster residents **Steven Bauer** and **Sofia Bilgrami**; Romulus residents **Theresa Powers** and **Paul Pyenta**; and Wayne residents **Carol Gill**.

MEMBERS OF THE Constellation Cadet Squadron will host an open house at 7:30 p.m. March 30 at Willow Run Airport. During ceremonies, four Belleville area teenagers will receive promotional awards. The four honorees, who are all Civil Air Patrol cadets, include **Technical Sgt. Travis Hutchison**, who is being promoted to master sergeant, **Jay Bollestrom** and **Michelle O'Connor**, who are being promoted to airman, and **Staff Sgt. Melissa Hutchison**, who is being promoted to technical sergeant. In addition members of the air patrol from Westland will also be honored. Those students include **Airman 1st Class David House**, who will be promoted to sergeant, and his sister, **Kristine House**, who will also be promoted to sergeant.

CANTON TOWNSHIP RESIDENT James Swiecki Jr., who is the son of James and Linda Swiecki, has been named an outstanding new leader at Adrian College because of his extraordinary potential for leadership. He was one of 25 freshmen students at the school recognized for his achievements during a March 20 Adrian College Campus Life awards banquet. The student is planning to major in pre-med and is a graduate of Plymouth-Canton High School.

NEWLY APPOINTED TO the southwest regional board of directors of the Michigan Cancer Foundation was Canton Township resident **Harold Fischer**. During his stay with the board, he will promote the foundation programs in research, education and patient services.

BELLEVILLE RESIDENT ASHLEY Maton, a senior at Lutheran High School, in Westland, is one of 500 finalists in the Jostens Foundation Leaders Scholarship Program. She was one of more than 33,800 students in the U.S. who applied for the award. Three hundred \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded. Winners will be chosen later in the spring. Selection of the finalists and winners is based on outstanding achievements in school and community activities, leadership experience and academic excellence.

SERVICEMEN FROM BELLEVILLE who made the military news include **Pvt. 1st Class John Satlowski**, son of Paul and Stephanie Satlowski, who has been decorated with the Army Achievement Medal at Fort Wainwright, Alaska. The medal is awarded to soldiers for meritorious service, acts of courage or other accomplishments. He is a light-wheel vehicle mechanic and a 1987 graduate of Belleville High School. **Airman Gary Doolittle**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Doolittle, has graduated from a U.S. Air Force strategic aircraft maintenance course at Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas. He is a 1988 graduate of Belleville High School.

AIRMAN ALFRED CALHOUN, a serviceman from Westland, has graduated from Air Force basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas. He is a 1983 graduate of Wayne Memorial High School and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rayfred Calhoun.

SERVICEMEN FROM WAYNE who made the military news include **Airman Matthew Timoszyk**, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Timoszyk, who has graduated from Air Force basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas. He is a 1987 graduate of Wayne Memorial High School. **Navy Petty Officer 2nd Class William Fullwood**, whose wife, Joyce, is the daughter of Robert and Isla Truskawski, was recently deployed to the western Pacific Ocean aboard the frigate **USS Cook**. While deployed, the serviceman will participate in numerous military exercises and visits ports in Hawaii and the far east. **Coast Guard Seaman Apprentice Dale Trower**, son of Robert Trower, recently graduated from Coast Guard recruit training. He is a 1988 graduate of Wayne Memorial High School and joined the Coast Guard in November.

Compiled by THOMAS M. VARCIE

SOON TO WED

Skone - Woolum

Mr. and Mrs. John Haines, of Westland, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Skone, of Westland, announce the engagement of their daughter, Marie, to Keith Woolum, of Howell. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Woolum, of Westland.

The bride-to-be is a 1986 graduate of Eastern Michigan University and a 1981 graduate of John Glenn High School. She received her certified public accountant certificate in 1988 and works for the firm of Bredernitz and Wagner, in Howell.

The groom-to-be is a 1981 graduate of John Glenn High



Woolum - Skone

School and is attending Eastern Michigan University. He works for Michigan National Bank, in Howell.

Reno - Schack

Mrs. Sally Reno, of Wahrman Road, Romulus, announces the engagement of her daughter, Patricia Gail, to John Matthew Schack, of Lincoln Park. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Schack, of Lincoln Park.

The bride-to-be is a direct care worker for Saints, Inc.

The groom-to-be works for Richland Maintenance.

The two are planning a 4:30 p.m. wedding ceremony May 27 at Mount Hope Lutheran Church.

Wilson - Shirley

Gloria Shirley, of Genesee Court, Westland, announced the April wedding of her son, Eric Martin Shirley, to Beth Wilson, of Westland.

After the wedding, the two will reside in the Wayne area. They are both graduates of Wayne Memorial High School.

The groom has also attended electronics school.

NEW ARRIVALS

Patrick McClure

Patrick Kimball McClure was born the first child of Tim and Cinde McClure, of Carnegie Street, Wayne, at 8:24 a.m. Feb. 7 at Garden City Osteopathic Hospital.

The infant made his debut weighing 6 pounds 8 ounces and measuring 20 inches.

He is the new grand son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lafalski, formerly of Westland, and Mr. and Mrs. Russell McCure, of Canton Township; and the new great-grandson of Iva Webb, of Canton Township.



Patrick McClure

Brian Smith

Brian Charles Smith was born the second child of Jeffrey and Diane Smith, of Westridge Court, Wayne, at 2:43 p.m. March 6 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, in Ann Arbor.

The infant made his debut weighing 9 pounds 12 ounces and measuring 21 1/2 inches.

He is the new brother of Eric Jeffrey, 1; the new grandson of Dorothy Richards, of Belleville, and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley, of Northville; and the new great-grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Cini, of Farmington Hills.

Westland native is romance novelist

By BARBARA ALBERT
ANP Staff Writer

A longtime Westland woman is making a place for herself in the world of contemporary romantic fiction.

Phyllis Houseman has written her first romantic novel, *The Verdict is Love*, published by Pageant Books.

Houseman, currently of San Francisco, lived in Westland until four years ago. She was a teacher in Detroit.

It was Houseman's husband, Jack, who convinced her to delve into the literary world. In 1982, he read an article about a shortage of romance novels. The article indicated that read-



Phyllis Houseman

ers were "eating the books up as soon as they were written." Houseman had been laid off

from her teaching job and was searching for work.

"I've never written anything longer than college term-papers," Houseman told her husband.

Houseman's husband agreed to teach her the mechanics of writing and suggested that she use her experiences in Ecuador as a Peace Corps volunteer as a starting point.

The ideas began to pour out, Houseman said.

In April 1982, Houseman's first book was completed. It was sent to publishers, and work on the second novel began - a story about life on Mount St. Helens.

Houseman made an agree-

ment with her husband that she would not stop writing until at least six manuscripts failed to sell.

The second book was also rejected.

The third manuscript became *The Verdict is Love*, which was released this month. The second manuscript, although never published, was awarded the Golden Heart Award from the Romance Writers of America.

The book has received good reviews from several critics of romance novels.

The love story is about two people with completely different lifestyles who fall madly in love with one another.

Residents urged to attend health fair

Project Health-O-Rama is a massive community effort designed for anyone 18 or older to utilize free of charge. Basic tests and services offered at each site include height and weight, blood pressure, vision, glaucoma and counseling and referral.

Area residents are being urged to take advantage of the free health tests being offered April 3 through April 28 at several western Wayne County locations. The tests are part of Project Health-O-Rama.

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Health-hazard appraisals and health-education information will also be available.

Optional tests - which require a fee - include colorectal cancer screening kits, \$3; blood panel, a profile of 21 tests, \$10; breast mammograms, at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Saratoga Hospital and Waterford Ambulatory Care Center only, \$50.

Other screenings are provided on a limited basis as specific sites. These include pulmonary function, oral/dental, pap, skin cancer, breast exams, prostrate/testicular.

sickle cell, hearing, nutrition and/or medications counseling, podiatry and cancer-risk assessments.

All test results remain confidential. Medical tests are conducted by health professionals.

The Health-O-Rama is sponsored by Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan; WXYZ Channel 7, Detroit; the United Health Organization, A Torch Drive/United Way Agency.

More than 9,000 volunteers are expected to contribute time for the drive at 97 sites in the Greater Detroit area. It is estimated that the average participant obtains eight health services valued at more than \$150 per participant.

In addition, the Project HOT-LINE is now operational. Staffed by the Telephone Pioneers of America, Wolverine Chapter 10, the hotline provides participants with information regarding site locations, dates, times and tests offered.

The hotline is open from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Friday. Call 424-8600.

Local Health-O-Rama sites and dates include the following:

- Beyer Memorial Hospital, 135 S. Prospect, Ypsilanti. April 22, noon to 4:30 p.m. Special tests offered: Pulmonary function, hearing, oral/dental, breast exams, prostrate/testicular.

- Henry Ford Medical Center, 261 S. Main Street, Plymouth. April 22, 8 a.m. to noon. Special tests offered: Hearing.

- Livonia Mall, 29514 Seven Mile Road, April 25, 26, 27 and 28, 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. April 25, 26 and 27, 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. April 28. Special tests offered: Pulmonary function, cancer-risk assessment.

- Oakwood Belleville/Bellefonte High School, 501 Columbia St., Belleville. April 15, 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Special tests offered: Breast examination, hearing, pulmonary function.

- St. Mary Hospital, 36745 West Five Mile Road, Livonia. April 8, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Special tests offered: Medical counseling, nutrition counseling.

- Starkweather Center, 550 N. Holbrook, Plymouth. April 18, 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Special tests offered: Oral/dental, skin cancer, hearing, pulmonary function.

- Westland Center, 35000 W. Warren, Westland. April 11, 12, 13, 14, 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Special tests offered: Pap (\$5 fee), hearing, nutrition counseling.

- Westland Medical Center, 2345 Merriman Road, Westland. April 5, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Special tests offered: Pap (no fee), hearing, pulmonary function, medication counseling, nutrition counseling, podiatry.

- Wonderland Mall, 29859 Plymouth Road, Livonia. April 18, 19 and 20, 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Special tests offered: Hearing, nutrition counseling.

For a mammogram appointment at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, call 858-3780.

Fad?

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Garred cited alleged cases of assault and battery involving skinheads and some vandalism.

"We had an incident a few years ago," said Rabbi Martin Gordon, of the Livonia Jewish Congregation. "Some swastikas were hand-painted with a brush on the building. We figured out who was the culprit. It was an individual who had a problem with alcoholism. I agreed not to press charges."

Gordon said that, although the skinhead movement by itself does not cause him concern, there is one possibility that poses great potential dangers.

"I have often been frightened by the idea that the skinheads,

neo-Nazis, right-wing Christians, KKK - if they ever got together on the common ground - they would number quite a few. This possibility frightens me tremendously."

"One of our main goals is better organization," John said, of his group. "We have a few different beliefs than the KKK and the Nazis, but we could all get along."

John said he recently attended a rally at a secret location in Detroit, in which approximately 50 skinheads from across the state attended.

"They want to show that they're independent," police officer Garred said. "We've had some problems where they try to do some things to make you believe they're supremacists. Every time we talk to them, there's nothing of substance, nothing below the surface."

William MacFarland, prin-

cipal of Churchill High School, in Livonia, said vandalism in his school is at an all-time low. As far as MacFarland is concerned, skinheads are nothing to worry about.

"I can remember *Rebel Without a Cause*," MacFarland said. "It was a glorification of teenage gangs and violence. I don't see anything approaching that kind of thing here."

Police officials also believe the high-school skinhead movement is only a fad, but it is a fad that reflects a changing society.

"Twenty years ago, the top four problems in school were chewing gum in class, talking, laughing and skipping school," Garred said. "Today, you see crack cocaine, felonious assault and murder. Part of it is socioeconomic. When we were kids, it was Dick Clark's Bandstand.

Now, it's MTV."

Not all skinheads are neo-Nazis, nor do they sport affiliations with the clan. All skinheads claim they are against confrontation and/or violence. Skinheads do not use drugs.

Skinheads at Wayne Memorial and Franklin high schools claim that members of the media have distorted the skinhead movement. Group members want only to express their beliefs without fear of reprisal, they say. They don't deny that racism exists. In fact, they acknowledge it.

"That's how I was brought up," Rick said. "Racism is becoming more from the underground up. In the KKK, people knew who they were, but you couldn't point a finger. Today, a lot more people are coming out of the closet and saying, 'yes, I'm a racist.'"

Food

Quick — before they are banned



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Let's see, we can't eat eggs due to the cholesterol. We can't eat apples because of Alar, the carcinogenic pesticide. We can't eat meat due to the chemical additives, PCB and fat content, and we can't eat chicken anymore because the birds have been shot up with steroid-type chemicals to make them fat and then there's the unsafe processing. Grapes are out because some looney poisoned them. Avoid fish at all costs, mercury you know.

We could eat cereal, but there are all those chemicals, even in the naturally processed ones and too much oat bran can damage the liver. No dairy products, those are sure killers and stay away from any vegetables not organically home grown. Then watch the labels carefully on any pesticides, fertilizer or weed killer used. These days, everything is a potential killer and the grocery store is a veritable mine-field fraught with life-threatening poisons in every aisle.

Enough is enough. The only defense is to consume anything not yet determined to be a killer. Admittedly, this limits the choices, but then again, it is an opportunity for real dessert lovers to demonstrate the level of their skills in the kitchen.

If the so-called and usually self-titled experts had anything to do with it, nobody in America would weigh more than 90 pounds. While that might seem desirable to many, no amount of vanity is worth giving up dessert. No amount. Ever.

This is a recipe which originated in California, where the berries are big and ripe and juicy—like the ones seen here lately, and while we may be jumping the gun somewhat, with these warm days and the sun shining, what could bring the promise of warm summer days a little closer with more impact than a huge slice of strawberry pie with a big dollop of whipped cream? Hey, it just doesn't get any better than this.

Strawberry pie

For the crust:

- 1 cup graham cracker crumbs (about 18 single crackers)
- 5 Tablespoons butter, melted
- 1/2 cup sliced almonds (or walnuts)

For the filling:

- 2 pints whole strawberries, washed and hulled
- 1/2 cup water
- 1 cup sugar
- 2 1/2 tablespoons cornstarch
- Juice of half a lemon
- 8 whole strawberries for garnish
- Whipped cream

Preheat oven to 350 degrees.

To prepare crust mix together the crushed crackers, melted butter and nuts. Press into a 9-inch pie pan. Bake 6 minutes. Set aside to cool.

To prepare filling crush one pint of strawberries. In a one-quart saucepan, cook crushed strawberries, water, sugar and cornstarch over medium-low heat until the mixture boils and is clear and thickened, stirring frequently. Cool, but do not chill. Stir in the juice of one half lemon.

Serve garnished with whipped cream and whole strawberries.

Note: If the berries do not seem especially dark, ripe and sweet, up to 1/2 cup more sugar can be added. Also, be sure the whipped cream has been sweetened and flavored with vanilla for extra flavor.



Van Buren Township resident Wanda Lawson (above) learned how to alter recipes from her mother. Today, experimentation has created wonderful recipes for chick-

en and chocolate chip cookies without the chips. ANP photo by Ann Grimes/staff photographer

Experimenting with taste

Local cook cannot be trusted with most recipes

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

No recipe is safe in the hands of Wanda Lawson.

She simply cannot resist the urge to alter it or add her own creative touches.

For Lawson, a resident of Van Buren Township, experimenting is part of the joy of cooking. The other benefits are the reactions she receives from her two sons.

This style of cooking is a family tradition, Lawson explained.

"My mom is a good cook. One of the things I've gotten from her is I don't always follow the recipe," she said. "If I have a plain recipe, I do things to jazz it up."

This method backfired, however, when Lawson was still learning to cook. She recalled a home-economics assignment in which she was to create a colorful meal. Lawson used food coloring to create colorful veggies.

The red peas were not a hit, she said.

"It was colorful, but no one ate it," she laughed.

Today, Lawson's creations are more successful, but they are still spontaneous.

"I look through the cupboard and see what I have," she said.

When Lawson invited friends for a barbecue and discovered she had no sauce, she substituted honey. Now, she uses honey regularly when making chicken.

Another simple experiment led to chocolate-chip cookies without the chips. Instead, Lawson adds pecans. As a time-saver, she usually makes cookies bar-style in a cake pan.

Lawson admitted that she is not as adventurous as her mother was in the kitchen. She remembers a spaghetti sauce her mother made with corn, peas and several types of mushrooms.

"It looked raunchy, but it was good," she said.

Lawson is not always ex-

perimenting, however.

"I love baking. That's my favorite. The kids love when I make bread," Lawson said.

Actually, all of the recipes Lawson contributed below have received a seal of approval from sons Brett, 4, and Tyler, 6. Now, you be the judge.

Sauerkraut pork chops

- 6 pork chops
- 1/2 cup brown sugar
- 3 to 4 onion slices
- 1 medium apple, peeled and cored
- 1 can sauerkraut
- 1/4 cup chopped pecans (optional)
- Pinch of salt

Chop apple into 1/4-inch squares. Mix apple, brown sugar, salt, sauerkraut and nuts. Spread chops on bottom of 9-by-13-inch pan. Cover with apple mixture. Bake at 350 degrees for 45 minutes. Mix and put pork chops on top and broil until brown.

Sopa de pollo a la Mexicana (Mexican chicken soup)

- 1 4 1/2- to 5-pound stewing chicken, cut up
- 6 cups water
- 3 to 4 onion slices
- 3 stalks celery, cut up
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/8 teaspoon pepper
- 1 16-ounce can tomatoes, cut up
- 3 medium carrots, thinly sliced (1 1/2 cups)
- 1 medium onion, chopped (1/2 cup)
- 4 teaspoons instant chicken bouillon granules
- 1 small zucchini, thinly sliced (4 ounces)
- 1 cup frozen peas
- 1 small avocado, seeded, peeled and sliced

In Dutch oven, combine chicken, water, onion slices, celery, salt and pepper. Simmer, covered, for 2 hours or until

chicken is tender. Remove chicken from broth. Strain broth, discarding vegetables. Return broth to Dutch oven. Add undrained tomatoes, sliced carrots, chopped onion and bouillon granules. Simmer, covered, for 30 minutes or until the carrots are tender.

Meanwhile, when chicken is cool enough to handle, remove skin and bones from chicken. Discard skin and bones. Cube chicken, add to broth along with zucchini and peas. Cover and simmer 10 to 15 minutes longer or until vegetables are tender. Just before serving, garnish with avocado slices. Makes 10 servings.

Cream of broccoli soup

- 2 10-ounce packages chopped broccoli (or fresh cooked)
- 2 cans cream of mushroom soup

or use

- 1 can cream of mushroom soup with 1 can cream of celery soup

- 2 cans of milk
- 4 tablespoons margarine
- 1/2 teaspoon tarragon
- Dash of pepper
- 1 medium onion chopped fine and fried
- 1 can chicken mixing or leftover chicken

Combine all ingredients. Heat and serve.

Sweet raspberry biscuits

- 2 cups biscuit mix
- 2 tablespoons sugar
- 1/4 cup butter
- 2/3 cup milk
- 1/4 cup raspberry preserves
- Vanilla glaze (below)

Line 12 medium muffin cups with paper cups. Mix baking mix, sugar and butter until crumbly. Add milk and mix un-

til dough forms. Beat 15 strokes. Place 1 tablespoon dough in each cup. Top with 1 tablespoon preserves. Drop remaining dough onto preserves. Bake until golden brown, 10 to 15 minutes. Immediately remove from pan. Spread with glaze while still warm.

For glaze, beat 1/2 cup powdered sugar, 1 teaspoon warm water and 1/4 teaspoon vanilla until smooth.

Marzipan harvest

- 1 8-ounce can almond paste
- 1 egg white
- 2 cups sifted confectioner's sugar
- Food coloring
- Cloves
- Cinnamon

Place almond paste in bowl. Break into pieces with fork. Add egg white and 1 cup sugar. Stir until blended. Place remaining sugar on a clean surface. Turn almond mix on sugar and knead until smooth and sugar is incorporated. Wrap tightly. Store in refrigerator until ready to use.

To shape pieces, start with 2 balls of dough 3/4 inch in diameter. Form pears and apples. Use clove buds for blossoms, ends for stems. Use side of spoon for crease in peaches. Shape potatoes, then roll in cinnamon and wipe off excess.

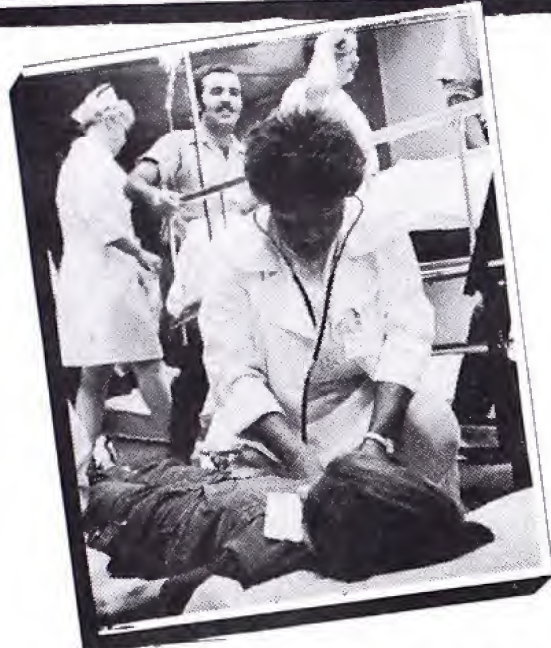
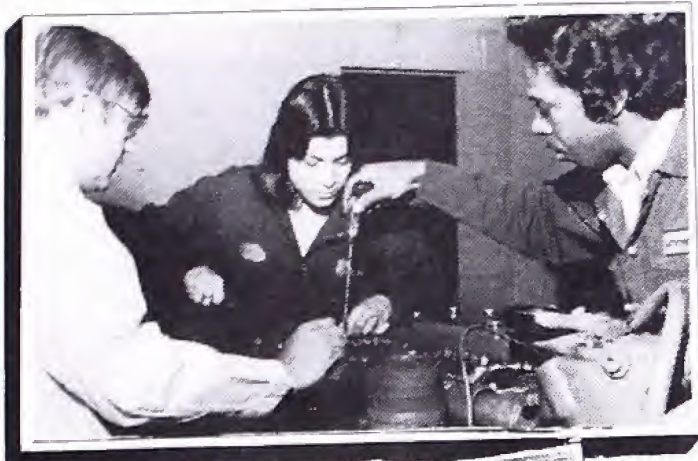
Tint dough orange for carrots and oranges. Roll oranges on a grater to create skin texture and paint skin to deepen color. Tint dough green for peas. Roll five small balls. Put on small piece of dough patted thin. Cut out a boat shape. Turn up ends to form pods. Paint marzipan with food coloring diluted with water for desired strength.

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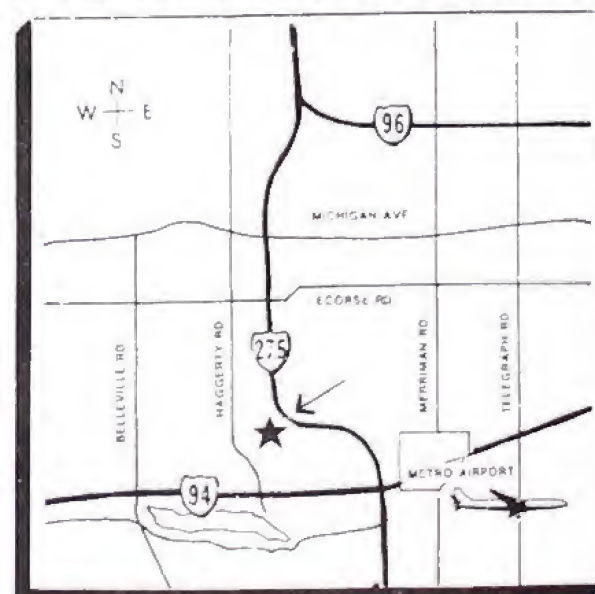
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All-area prep wrestlers are honored

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

Combine the wrestling lineups of Romulus and Belleville High and what do you have?

The Associated Newspapers' All-Area High School Wrestling Team.

Moreover, you probably will also have the best wrestling team in the state.

If you consider that Romulus, with a 16-2 overall record and their second straight South Central Conference championship, and Belleville, with a 13-2 overall record and the Wolverine 'A' Conference title have a combined record of 29-4, it supports the argument that the two teams may have talent to win the state crown.

Wonder if Temperance Bedford, the reigning Class A state champ, is willing to take on the ANP team?

The mythical All-Area lineup includes a handful of league, district, and regional champs who also won their share of state accolades.

Picked by the ANP staff, in cooperation with local prep coaches, the team includes: Derek Reed (103, Belleville), Steve Davis (112, Belleville), David Gehringer (119, Romulus), Tim Kosikowski (125, Romulus), Bruce Boyd (130, Romulus), Rob Matigian (135, Westland John Glenn), Brian Farnan (140, Romulus), Joe Yuhas (145, Belleville), Rick Champagne (152, Romulus), Mike Braswell (160, Belleville), Ralph Farrell (171, Romulus), Jeff Komaromi (189, Belleville) and heavyweight Paul Nowicki, Romulus.

Norm Butler, a first-year coach at Romulus, was named as "Coach of the Year" in wrestling.

Here is a brief statistical report on what individual members of the 1989 All-Area Team accomplished during the recently concluded campaign:

REED, a junior, was voted the *Most Valuable Wrestler* at Belleville High School this year. With 24 falls in his 40-7 won-lost record, Derek has amassed 62 career victories en route this year to a conference and Ypsilanti Invitational title. He also captured silver medals at the Belleville and Plymouth Salem tournaments.

Reed won a regional title, one of seven Belleville grapplers ever to do so. That victory was his ticket to the state finals.

"We don't have many regional champs," noted Belleville coach Gerald Malecek, "in

fact, since I've been coaching here (1973), we have only had six others."

"And Derek did this (win the regional) after placing fourth in the district, and that's an unbelievable accomplishment."

DAVIS, the first freshman to earn a berth usually reserved for upperclassmen, brings a 31-13 record to the team. He also struck gold at the Canton and pre-district tournaments, while picking up bronzes in the conference, Lincoln Park and Salem Invitionals. With three years of eligibility lying ahead of him, Steve could wind up smashing all kinds of Tiger records. He also may duplicate the feat Darryl Elder accomplished in 1986 - winning a coveted gold medal. Elder still holds the school record for most victories in one season at 47.

A product of South Middle School where he began his wrestling career, Davis's 31 victories is a freshman record.

"He's for real," says Malecek. "And you'll be reading a lot about this hard-working youngster."

GEHRINGER, who finished fifth in the state, will return to the Eagles' lineup next season. Obviously, he has an excellent shot at the gold in his senior year. The 119-pounder chalked up a 44-10 record as a junior. He won the district title, then finished second at the regional before finishing with a fifth-place state medal. His accomplishments include first places at the Belleville, Monroe, South Central Conference tournaments while he was runner-up at the Westland John Glenn, Cardinal Stritch (Ohio) and Melvindale tournaments.

"Gehringer is the best surprise in our season," said Butler. "He is a hard worker and very coachable."

KOSIKOWSKI, a holdover from last year's All-Area team, is a rare wrestling talent. He had a 46-4 record as a junior and, during the year, won regional and SCC titles. He also placed first in the Belleville, Glenn, Cardinal Stritch invitionals while placing second at Melvindale and third at Toledo Waite.

Considered the hardest working member of the Romulus team, Tim is a dedicated wrestler. He is a two-time state qualifier.

BOYD, also a two-time state qualifier, posted a 40-10 record on his way to championships in the conference, Belleville

1989 All-Area Wrestling Roster					
Wgt.	Player	Rec.	Class	School	
103	Derek Reed	40-7	Junior	Belleville	
112	Steve Davis	31-13	Freshman	Belleville	
119	David Gehringer	44-10	Junior	Romulus	
125	Tim Kosikowski	46-4	Junior	Romulus	
130	Bruce Boyd	40-10	Junior	Romulus	
135	Rob Matigian	42-1	Senior	Glenn	
140	Brian Farnan	31-8	Junior	Romulus	
145	Joe Yuhas	34-9-1	Senior	Belleville	
152	Rick Champagne	45-6-1	Senior	Romulus	
160	Mike Braswell	42-7	Junior	Belleville	
171	Ralph Farrell	21-10	Senior	Romulus	
189	Jeff Komaromi	36-8	Junior	Belleville	
HWY.	Paul Nowicki	33-2	Senior	Romulus	
Coach of the Year: Norm Butler, Romulus High					

Butler coach of the year

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

In *Fiddler on the Roof*, Tevye sings the merits of Tradition to his family.

"Family" and "tradition" are the heart of wrestling at Romulus High, where first-year wrestling coach Norm Butler has stressed to his family of wrestlers "that winning traditions are perpetuated only through hard work."

Butler inherited a winning tradition from former coach Wayne Schimming.

And he had the difficult task of keeping alive that tradition.

Butler has. The Eagles had the best dual meet record in the area, went undefeated in their conference and were ranked among the top 10 in the state during most of the 1988-89 season.

Butler refers to his team as "family" whenever he alludes to it. You may find that peculiar, but don't knock it - it has been very successful for the first-year wrestling coach who has extended the Eagles' winning tradition.

Following in the footsteps of former coach Wayne Schimming, Butler forged an enviable 16-2 won-lost season in his inaugural year as head coach.



Norm Butler
Coach of the Year

He fielded an undefeated team in the South Central Conference and retained the SCC title they won a year ago. In fact, Romulus has won the conference title all three years they have been members of the league, the top athletic schools in the state, specifically, Ann Arbor Huron, Pioneer, Ypsilanti and Adrian.

Butler attributes his team's success to "The Family". He instills in his wrestlers the concept of working together as "one family" and, "sharing the good and the bad days."

When it comes to wrestling, the Eagles haven't had many bad times. They won the Belleville, Monroe, and SCC titles, while placing second at the Westland John Glenn and the prestigious Toledo Waite and Cardinal Stritch Classics.

For his achievements during the 1988-89 campaign, the Associated Newspapers is proud to name Norm Butler as *Coach of the Year* in wrestling.

"It's been a rewarding experience," Butler said. See **COACH**, page B-6

and Monroe meets. He has silver medals off of his performances at the two Ohio invitionals as well as at Melvindale. Bruce placed second at the district and was third in the regional before competing at state.

A junior, Boyd will probably make the trip back to the state finals (barring injuries) next year.

"We have some outstanding junior talent," Butler acknowledged, "and Bruce fits into the group. We have the foundation for another excellent team a year from now."

MATIGIAN, a John Glenn product, went into the regionals with a perfect 42-0 record, and wound up in fifth place in the state. A two-time All-Area selection who also is an outstanding student, Matigian finished his prep career with conference, district and regional championships.

FARNAN, considered the most improved member of the Romulus team, had a 31-8 season. He had gold-medal performances in the conference and at John Glenn, while he placed second at Belleville and Monroe. A district champ, Farnan missed going to state when he failed to survive the regional tournament.

A first-year wrestler, Farnan will be back next year. He'll be a senior.

YUHAS, a four-year letter winner in the sport, carded a 34-9-1 season record in his senior campaign. (He missed most of his junior year of competition because of an elbow injury). With 71 career victories, this all-around athlete also sports a gold medal from his efforts at Belleville and Canton. He won silver medals in the conference, Ypsilanti, and pre-districts and also finished third at the Lincoln Park invitational. Yuhas also lettered in football.

CHAMPAGNE, also a versatile athlete who claimed All-Area recognition in football as a linebacker, had a 45-6-1 overall record as a senior. He was a conference champ for the second year in a row, and culminated his wrestling career with a district championship. He also won the Belleville and Monroe Invitionals and placed second in the regional, Glenn, Cardinal Stritch and Melvindale tournaments. A third-year varsity wrestler, Champagne was a team leader.

"In my opinion, Champagne is one of the finest all-around athletes to have graced the

halls of Romulus," said Coach Butler.

BRASWELL, with a 42-7 record, had the best record of a Belleville wrestler this year. He also has 76 career wins. Mike won the league title for the second year in a row, and added the Ypsilanti, Lincoln Park, and Canton gold medals to his letter jacket. A second-place finisher at Salem, Braswell went on to place third in the district and regional to become a state qualifier.

At the recent Belleville Wrestling Awards' Banquet, Braswell was presented the *Most Improved Junior Wrestler Award*.

FARRELL, completing his fourth year on the Romulus varsity, posted a 21-10 record. He also wrapped up his prep career with a gold medal in the SCC. He was second at Melvindale, while placing third at Cardinal Stritch, Monroe and Westland John Glenn.

"We're going to miss him next year," Butler said. "You could always rely on him when the going got tough."

KOMAROMI, a junior, shared the *Most Falls* trophy with Reed at Belleville. Each had 24. A state qualifier who was 36-8 on the year, Jeff has 61 career victories on the varsity mats. He also won the conference title before earning first places at the Belleville, Canton Invitionals and the pre-district. He was runner-up at Ypsi, and placed third at the Lincoln Park Tournament. He also had third-place medals at district and regional which put him in the state tournament.

Jeff and his teammates managed to post a 6-1 conference record and upset heavily favored Southgate at the league championships. They also surprised Romulus at the district team championships, ousting the Eagles, before they lost to Bedford Temperance at the regionals.

Bedford went on to claim the 1989 state title.

NOWICKI, who came within one victory of a gold medal at state, is another premier athlete who stood out in football. He had a 33-2 record in his senior year, losing twice only to the eventual state champ. His victories came in the league, John Glenn, Ohio tournaments and Nowicki, has compiled a 71-4 record over the past two years.

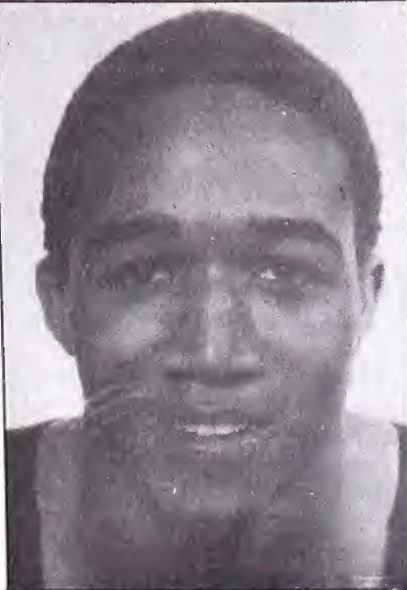
"I couldn't say enough about Paul," Butler commented. "You can use all the superlatives you want to describe him. He is just one outstanding athlete."



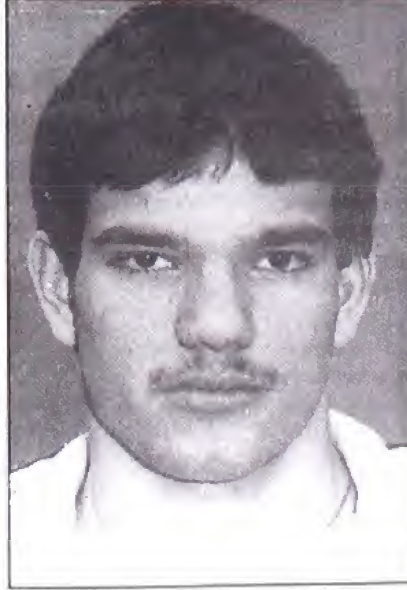
Joe Yuhas



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profile



Name: Willie Maull
Age: 19
School: Michigan Christian
Sport: Basketball
Achievement: A former Romulus cage star, Maull scored 17 points to help Michigan Christian turn back St. Scholastica of St. Paul, Minn., 88-56, to win the national basketball title for small colleges and universities.

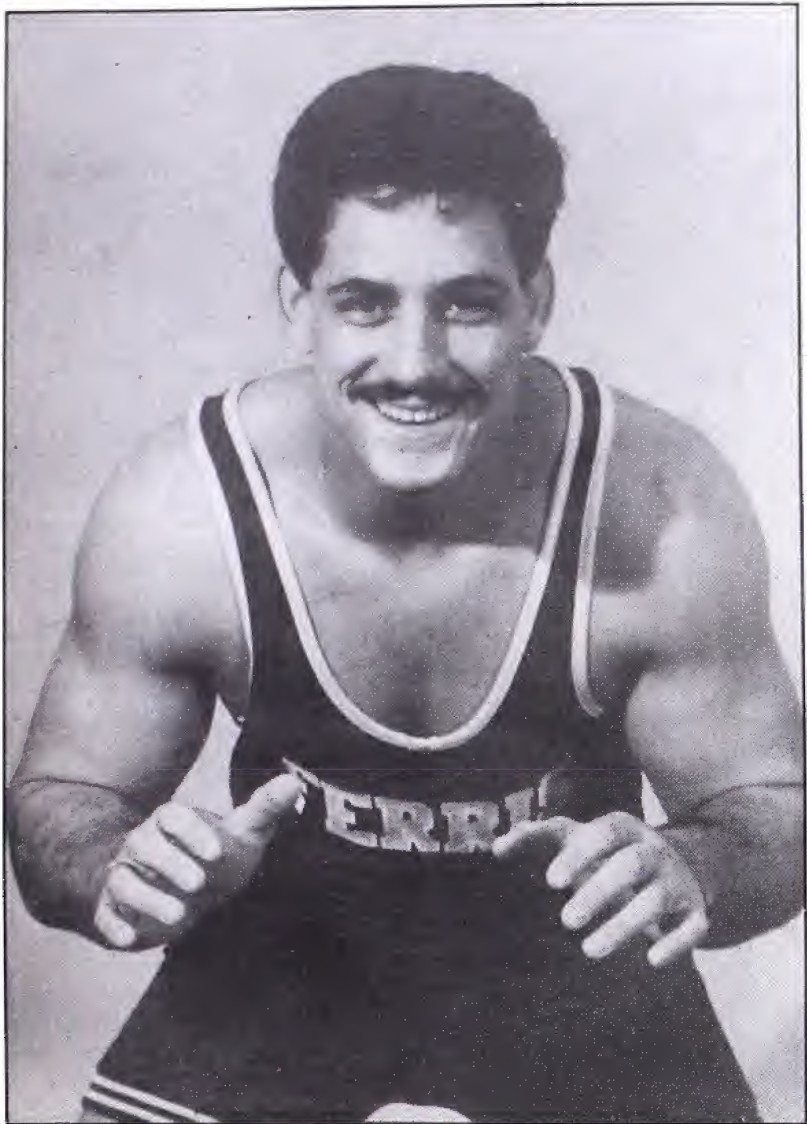
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"Kids are looking for an alternative to drugs, and what better alternative than athletics and recreation. I feel that we have, as a society, an obligation to provide these programs."

Ronald Wolkowicz
Inkster recreation director



Record-breaker

Former Belleville High wrestling great, Doug Chapman (above) set an all-time Ferris State record this season as the 190-pound grappler compiled a 126-52 career mark. A pre-law major, Chapman won 40 of his 48 matches en route to a handful of regional and national honors, including All-American recognition. Chapman's 126 victories stands as the *Most Victories* posted by any Ferris State wrestler.

Fast start

Track champs look good at Shamrock Invitational

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

New Boston Huron, the defending Huron Conference girls' track and field champ, got off to a fast start at the Shamrock Invitational, hosted by Siena Heights in Adrian.

Coach Kevin Roush, who has eight seniors returning from last year's undefeated conference championship team, received winning performances from his sprint medley and mile relay teams. Marcy Hall, a shot putter, also came away with a gold medal.

Hall surfaced with a 34.5 3/4

effort to place first in her debut of the 1989 season.

The Chiefs went with LaDonne Swick-Glasgow, Brandy Mink, Patti Prentice and Tracy Nagy in the sprint relay, and the foursome came through with the winning time of 4:34.

Huron had the best mile relay team at the invitational thanks to Mink, Nagy, Swick-Glasgow and Lindsay Wendel who set a record of 4:26.69 in winning the event. The old mark was 4:28.

A field of 22 teams competed in the Shamrock Invitational. No team championship is determined, however.

The Chiefs also earned their

share of silver medals as Swick was runnerup in the high jump with a leap of five-feet, and Jenn Garcia crossed the finish line for the high hurdles second, covering the 65-meter race in 9.6. Huron also fielded the second best relay team with Mink, Nagy, Garcia and Prentice who were clocked in 1:57.93.

With Carrie Ufer, Karri Rusow, Carri Modej and Wendel, the Chiefs had the third best distance medley team at the invitational. The foursome finished in 14:54.

The Chiefs return to the field on Saturday, March 30, when

they travel to East Lansing to participate in the Spartan Relays at Michigan State University.

Will the Chiefs be able to duplicate their record of a year ago when they swept through the Huron Conference without a blemish on their record?

"At this stage, it's difficult to say," commented Roush. "It's just too early in the season and we don't know who has what. However, what we can do is to continue to work hard and improve. Our kids know that if you're the defending champ, everyone is going to come after you."

"So we have to be ready."



Lauri Labeau



Laurie Berlinn



Kathy Murphy



Carletta Jackson

The unforgettable All-Area cage team

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

It's never too late to honor some outstanding athletes.

And, the Associated Newspapers' sports staff hasn't forgotten its commitment to the area's top girls' basketball players, all of whom had an unforgettable season. They are making a belated appearance on these pages.

Named to the All-Area lineup are: Lauri Labeau (New Boston Huron), Laurie Berlinn (Romulus), Kathy Murphy (Belleville), Carletta Jackson (Romulus), Laurel Haener (New Boston Huron), Christy Garnett (Belleville), Angie Thomas (Inkster) and Ursula Harris (Inkster).

The ANP "Coach of the Year" is Bill Harrison, New Boston Huron.

Harrison decided to relinquish the coaching reins at Huron after guiding the Chiefs to three consecutive Class B district championships.

Here are the All-Area nominees' credentials:

LABEAU, a senior who has

been the sparkplug of the Chiefs' starting five for the past two years, is an unselfish player who led the team in scoring and assists. She averaged better than 20 points per game in keeping the Chiefs in the midst of the conference championship race. She also had more than five assists per game. A unanimous choice for All-Conference recognition, Lauri also was named to the Class B All-State squad.

BERLINN, an all-around athlete who dominated the boards, was the key to the successful Romulus team. A 6-3 senior who is sought-after by most major colleges and universities, Laurie also scored in double figures in all of her games this season. She led the team in scoring and in rebounding. A talented athlete-scholar, Berlinn has been visiting college campuses to determine where she will continue her scholastic and athletic careers.

MURPHY, who brought down the curtains to a four-year varsity career at Belleville, contributed double digit scoring in a 15-9 Belleville season. A 5-9 senior guard, Kathy averaged

14 points per game, along with three assists.

"Kathy is a hard worker and a leader-type player," Coach Mike Garland said. "You could always rely on her to give you more than 100 percent each game."

A Wolverine 'A' Conference pick, Murphy helped the Tigers win their first Class A district championship thanks to victories over Romulus, Taylor Kennedy and Taylor Truman.

HAENER, a lanky center who came on strong at the end of the season, was the second key to a district title year for Harrison and the Chiefs. A deceptive cager who got more than her share of rebounds, Haener came up with clutch baskets that proved to be the difference in more than one crucial Huron game.

"She had the responsibility of stopping people who had more experience than her," said Harrison, "and she did an admirable job."

GARRETT, a 5-8 senior, was forced to the sidelines because of an injury. But, she earned the respect of all of those who tried to stop her while she was

in the game. Christy averaged 13 points per game and you can only speculate what she would have accomplished if she had been healthy throughout the entire 24-game season.

HARRIS, a 5-4 senior guard, made defense her forte. In a league noted for basketball, Ursula drew the assignment of stopping the opposition's top scorer - and she did a commendable job. Her efforts led to all-Suburban Athletic Conference consideration.

THOMAS, the Vikings' lead-

ing scorer, ended her prep career with 297 points and 59 assists. She also piled up an incredible 60 assists. These stats alone warranted All-SAC consideration.

A starting guard for three years, Angie was only one of two players who the Vikings had returning to their team this year. She could have been one of the top players in the state if she had a couple of more seasoned cagers to team up with, according to the Viking coaching staff.



Laurel Haener



Angie Thomas



Ursula Harris



Christy Garnett

Harrison is 'Coach of Year'

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

As long as he can remember, Bill Harrison, has been involved in one way or another in basketball.

Harrison was an outstanding player in high school, and his son, Mike, followed in his dad's footsteps. Mike last week was named to the Associated Newspapers' All-Area team.

Harrison has also been an outstanding coach, helping to build the foundation to a successful girls' basketball program at New Boston Huron.

Both Mike Harrison, who averaged more than 20 points per game during the recently concluded campaign, and Bill Harrison, who has never had a losing season, will be missed when basketball rolls around next year. And, for the first

time in ANP sports history, there's a father-son team that has earned All-Area accolades in the same year.

Harrison was nominated as the *Coach of the Year* in basketball after leading the Chiefs of New Boston High to an unprecedented third consecutive girls' Class B district title.

Harrison's 1988 lineup, led by Lauri Labeau, an All-State candidate, came within seconds of knocking off perennial Class B powerhouse, and defending Class B state champ, Dearborn Divine Child, in the regional finals.

The Chiefs won 17 of their 22 games last season.

Harrison, however, won't be coaching next year. Serving as school principal, he has a host of other responsibilities that must take priority, Harrison says.

An All-Area wrestler in his own right during the late 1970s, Butler graduated from Eastern Michigan University with a teaching degree.

And with a handful of



Bill Harrison
Coach of Year

"I love basketball. And I know I am going to miss it next year. But, I have to look at the overall picture, and there are too many things happening at this time."

Basketball is going to miss Bill Harrison.

"blue chip" juniors who will be returning to the Romulus lineup next year, Butler's coaching comet appears to be on the rise.

He and his "family" may have started a dynasty.

Spring schedules

With the exciting winter sports season behind us, and Spring officially here, it's time to warm up to the baseball, softball, track & field, and tennis season.

And, in order for the Associated Newspapers' Sports Staff to continue its coverage of the local high school sports scene, the ANP will need spring schedules.

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Coach

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year," Butler admits. "I have really enjoyed it."

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CHURCHES

CHICKEN DINNER - A family-style chicken dinner is offered from 5 to 7 p.m. April 1 at the Stony Creek United Methodist Church, 8635 Stony Creek Road, five miles south of Ypsilanti. Cost is \$3, \$5 and \$5.50.

MUSIC PROGRAM - A music program, "Praise in Song," featuring Sister Bessie Newborn, will be staged at 3:30 p.m. April 2 at Sumpter Community Church of God, 26134 Sumpter Road, Belleville. Admission is free. Call 461-2211.



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SECURITY OFFICER TRAINING - Security-officer training is provided free of charge for interested men and women. Course instruction includes surveillance, patrolling, hotel security, hospital security, plant security and VIP protection. Call 443-5058.

BUSINESS COURSE - Faculty members of the Wayne State University School of Business will teach a course titled "How to Start or Run a Small Business." The seminar is slated for 7 p.m. March 29 at the Plymouth Hilton, 14707

Northville Road. The two-hour homework shop is open to the public.

CAMERA AND EDITING WORKSHOP - The "Public Access" Portable Camera and Editing Workshop will be presented by Omnicon Cable Co. to residents of Plymouth, Canton Township, Belleville, Van Buren Township and Romulus from 7 to 9 p.m. March 29. Classes are staged until May 3 at the cable company, 8465 Rhonda Drive, Canton. The six-week session is scheduled one night per week. Call 459-7321.



REUNIONS

The following schools/organizations are planning reunions.

BELLEVILLE HIGH SCHOOL - Class of 1969, Aug. 19, Weber's Inn, Ann Arbor. Call Bonnie, 453-0487, or Loretta, 697-9453.

CODY HIGH SCHOOL - Class of 1979, Oct. 7, Roma's of Livonia-West. Call 465-2277 or 263-6803.

DEARBORN HEIGHTS ROOSEVELT - Classes of 1953, 1954 and 1955, Sept. 16, Holiday Inn, Ford Road at Southfield. Call Tom, 728-2884. Bonnie, 287-3474. Goody, 277-4044, or Bobbie, 665-9465.

DETROIT CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL - Class of 1938, April 30. Call 773-8820.

DETROIT PERSHING HIGH SCHOOL - Class of 1954, Oct. 13, the Van Dyke Park Hotel, Warren. Call 465-2277, or 263-6803.

FORDSON HIGH SCHOOL - Class of 1939, Sept. 23, Italian American Hall, Call Angie, 846-9979, Duane, 565-0805, or Bill, 525-0276.

HAMTRAC HIGH SCHOOL - Classes of January and June 1939, 3

1917 Sept. 24. Polk's Century Club, Call 461-8931 or 668-3950.

LINCOLN PARK HIGH SCHOOL - Class of January 1964, April 14. Call 773-8820.

MACKENZIE HIGH SCHOOL - Classes of 1962, 1963 and 1964, Saturday, April 29, Warren Chateau, 6015 E. 10 Mile Road, Warren. Call 837-5890 or write, P.O. Box 2086, Suite 244, Birmingham, Mich. 48011.

PLYMOUTH-CANTON HIGH SCHOOL - Class of 1979, July 15, Holiday Inn, Livonia West. Call Lee, 465-2277, or 263-6805.

REDFORD HIGH SCHOOL - Class of 1939, Sept. 17, Vladimir's, Call Ralph, 644-8160 or 540-4480.

REDFORD HIGH SCHOOL - Class of 1949, May 6. Call 773-8820.

SEAHOLM HIGH SCHOOL - Class of 1969, Aug. 12, Troy Hilton, Troy. Call Lee, 465-2277.

ST. THERESA - Class of 1939, Call Tom and Margaret Hayes, 474-8118.

WAYNE MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL - Class of 1959, July 14 to 16. Call Bill, 654-6411 or Ed, 459-3203.

WAYNE MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL - Class of 1969, July 22. Call Alice, 728-0265, or Donna, 722-7817.



ARTS/CRAFTS

CRAFT SALE - A craft sale, presented by the Lake Pointe Branch of the Women's National Farm and Garden Association, is slated from 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. April 15 at Plymouth-Canton High School, on Canton Center Road, Canton Township. Admission is free.

ARTS AND CRAFTS SHOW - A show is planned from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. April 15 at GLA Bingo Hall, 182 Merri-

man Road, Westland. Crafters are also needed for the event. Call 326-3344.

RUMMAGE SALE - A spring rummage sale is slated from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. March 31 and 9 a.m. to noon April 1 at the First United Methodist Church of Wayne, across from the Wayne post office. The Saturday event is \$1.50 a-bag day.

RUMMAGE SALE - The sale is set from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. March 31 and 9 a.m. to noon April 1 at St. Raphael's Catholic Church, 5875 Merriman Road, north of Ford Road, in Garden City.

ART SHOW - More than 70 displays of country folk art, Victorian crafts and early Americana can be viewed from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. April 2 at Roma's of Garden City, 32550 Cherry Hill, Garden City. Cost is \$2. Call 336-3947.



SENIORS

WAYNE-WESTLAND SCHOOLS CLUB - The following activities have been planned at the Dyer Center, 36745 Marquette Road, Westland. Hours are 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday. Call 595-2161 for more details.

BINGO - The game is played at 1 p.m. April 12 and 26.

BLOOD-PRESSURE TESTING - Testing will be done from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. April 12 by staff members at Ann Arbor Hospital.

WEDNESDAY CLUB MEETING - Members of the group meet at 1 p.m. April 5. Dr. Regula, the Detroit Red Wing dentist, will speak.

TUESDAY CLUB MEETING - Members of the group meet at 1 p.m. April 4.

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1. Obituaries

PEARL COTHAM

Age 69, of Romulus, died March 23, 1989. Beloved wife of the late Robert who died January 7, 1980. Dear mother of Bobby Gene Cotham of Romulus, Jack C. Cotham of New Boston and Mrs. Pierre (Barbara) Huot of Westland. Dear sister of Aaron Barber of Detroit, J.B. Barber of Hammond, Tennessee, and Mrs. Raymond (Helen) Nolan of Dover, Tennessee. Also 5 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. She was a homemaker. She was also a member of Calvary Baptist Church, Ladies Missionary and Romulus Senior Citizens. Funeral services were held March 27, 1989 at Calvary Baptist Church with Rev. Marvin Hawbaker officiating. Interment at Michigan Memorial Park, Flat Rock. Family suggests memorials to Calvary Baptist Church, Ladies Missionary Fund. Envelopes are available at the funeral home. Arrangements by CRANE FUNERAL HOME, 38885 Goddard Rd., Romulus.

MAMIE EASLEY

Age 58 of Detroit, died March 19, 1989. Beloved wife of the late Robert. Dear mother of Glenn, Clyde, Frank, Leonard, Earl, David, Ann and Barbara, all from Detroit and Morris of Monroe. Dear sister of Georgia Jones of Detroit, Oscar Bristow of New York, also 31 grandchildren. Funeral services were held March 26, 1989 at Metro Memorial Park. ROBERTS BROTHERS FUNERAL HOME, 209 Main St., Belleville, with Willie Reiser, Minister of Pilgrimage Guide, Missionary Baptist Church, Interment at Metro Memorial Park.

RUBY KILLEN

Age 77, of Wayne, died March 16, 1989. Dear mother of Marjorie Shankleton, Mary Hanselman and the late Edward Bowerman, Ronald Bowerman, Eugene Leroy and Gerald Bowerman. Dear sister of Doris Irene Benko; also 18 grandchildren and 42 great grandchildren. Funeral services were held March 17, 1989 at the UHT FUNERAL HOME, 35400 Glenwood Rd., Westland and March 20, 1989 at Wolverine Methodist Church of Wolverine, MI. Officiating the funeral was Rev. Daniel Wallace, Interment at Silver Lake Cemetery, Cheboygan County, MI.

ESTHER NELSON

Age 64, of Westland, died March 26, 1989. Beloved wife of Max. Dear mother of George and Maryann Clay; also 5 grandchildren. Dear daughter of Clara and the late George Sloss. She was retired as a school bus driver for the Romulus Public Schools after 26 years. Funeral services will be held Thursday, March 30, 1989 at 1:00 p.m. at the UHT FUNERAL HOME, 35400 Glenwood Rd., Westland with Rev. Daniel Wallace officiating. Interment will be at Cadillac Memorial Gardens West.

4. Monuments & Cemetery Lots

MICHIGAN MEMORIAL cemetery lots, 3 lots in Section 71, Block 5, lots in Section 71, Block 5, NE 1/4 of cemetery, will sell separate at \$50 per lot or \$500 per lot if 3 or more are bought. 697-9417, 291-9291.

5. Personals

YOLANDA HARRIS

of Elwell Rd. has been selected to receive a FREE dozen Cockatoos.

MAIN STREET FLOWERS

210 Main St., Belleville 697-7400 Pick up before 4/4/89

LOOK OUT world! Erica Carlson got her license Monday. Drive safe and have fun. Love, the Lakes

6. Legal Notices

THE STOREROOM, located at #6000 Michigan Ave., at I-75, Canton, MI 48186, will hold a sale on April 22, 1989 at Noon to satisfy the lien against the following tenants unless the liens are satisfied before the sale date:

Name: Robert Matheson Unit #524 Items: Table, chairs, dressers, bed, personal belongings

Name: James Blair, Jr. Items: Rolls & ends of carpet and padding

Name: Russel Cooper Unit #403B Items: GE washer, stove, personal belongings

Name: Marilyn Rice Unit #121 Items: Beds, freezer, couch, chairs, bookcase, dressers, tables, lawn furniture, personal belongings

The contents of these units will be available for inspection between the hours of 9:00 am and 5:00 pm on the day preceding the sale. On the date and at the hour of the sale, the goods will be sold to person or firm which has offered the most money. The sale will be held at The Storeroom. Publish: March 22, 1989 March 28, 1989

NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

To the Owner or Owners of any and all interests in or Liens upon the Lands herein described:

TAKE NOTICE: Sale was lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes on that land, and that the undersigned has title to the land under tax deed or deeds issued for that land. You are entitled to a reconveyance of this land within 6 months after return of service of this Notice, upon payment to the Treasurer of the County in which the land is situated, of all sums paid for the tax sale purchase, together with 50% in addition, and the fees of the sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this Notice. The service or publication costs shall be the same as if for personal service of a summons upon commencement of an action, together with a sum of \$5.00 for each description, without other additional cost or charge. If payments as described in this Notice is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

DESCRIPTION OF LAND: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, City of Hamtramck, Adolph Sloman's Milwaukee Junction Sub, L21 P100, Lot 161. 41-131000-1610 This parcel is an improved residential parcel. Amount paid: \$249.32. Tax for the year 1984. Amount necessary to redeem: \$3078.96, plus the fees of the Sheriff. BROWN INDUSTRIES, INC. & MARK TWIN BANK 4901 Main Kansas City, MO 64112 253 N. Santa Fe, PO Box 45 Salina, Kansas, 67402-0045 By: Mary L. Montgomery Tax Deed Holders

TO: Simon Malha 1999 Trowbridge Hamtramck, MI Publish: March 28, 1989 April 5, 1989 April 12, 1989 April 19, 1989

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to all interested parties that the Wayne Housing Commission will stop taking applications for Section 8 Housing. This notice will be in effect from April 1, 1989 to October 1, 1989. Wayne Housing Commission Ruth M. Clark Acting Manager Publish: March 28, 1989

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DESCRIPTION OF LAND: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, City of Hamtramck, O'Connor's Sub of Blocks 1, 3 & 4, L28 P73, Lot 32 41-160000-0410 This parcel is an improved residential parcel. Amount paid: \$2183.39. Tax for the year 1984. Amount necessary to redeem: \$2360.09, plus the fees of the Sheriff. BROWN INDUSTRIES, INC. & MARK TWIN BANK 4901 Main Kansas City, MO 64112 253 N. Santa Fe, PO Box 45 Salina, Kansas, 67402-0045 By: Mary L. Montgomery Tax Deed Holders

TO: Leah Gottesman 11907-1 Joseph Carratt Hamtramck, MI 48212 Publish: March 29, 1989 April 5, 1989 April 12, 1989 April 19, 1989

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ADVERTISMENT FOR BIDS

1. SEALED BIDS for the furnishing of the necessary materials and construction of:

LIBERTY STREET RESURFACING FOR THE CITY OF BELLEVILLE, MICHIGAN

will be received by the City at the Office of the City Manager, Municipal Building, 6 Main Street, Belleville, Michigan 48111, until 5:00 p.m. Monday, April 17, 1989, and will be publicly opened and read aloud at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, April 17, 1989 during the Regular City Council Meeting.

2. The proposed work consists of approximately 2,600 square yards of pavement resurfacing together with required pavement repair.

3. The contract documents, including specifications, are available at the office of the City Manager. A set may be obtained from that office by calling (313) 697-9323.

4. All bids shall be signed and submitted on the blanks which are bound in the specifications. Bids shall state the lump sums or unit prices and item totals on the blanks provided therefore, shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope marked "Bid for Liberty Street Resurfacing" and addressed to said City Manager.

5. Each bid shall contain the full name of every person, firm or corporation interested in the same, and must be accompanied by either a bid bond to the satisfaction of the City Manager, or a certified check on a solvent bank, in the sum of 5% of the amount of the bid, made payable to the City of Belleville, Michigan, as a guaranty that if the bid is accepted, a contract will be entered into and its performance properly secured.

6. The City of Belleville, Michigan, reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any irregularities in bidding.

7. No bidder may withdraw his bid for a period of 60 days after the schedule closing time for the receipt of bids.

8. The City of Belleville is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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1. SEALED BIDS for the furnishing of the necessary materials and construction of:

PAVING CEMETERY ROADS FOR THE CITY OF BELLEVILLE, MICHIGAN

will be received by the City at the Office of the City Manager, Municipal Building, 6 Main Street, Belleville, Michigan 48111, until 5:00 p.m. Monday, April 17, 1989, and will be publicly opened and read aloud at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, April 17, 1989 during the Regular City Council Meeting.

2. The proposed work consists of approximately 1,253 square yards of bituminous paving of existing aggregate roadway, constructing approximately 222 sq. yd. of new roadway, and associated work.

3. The contract documents, including specifications, are available at the office of the City Manager. A set may be obtained from that office by calling (313) 697-9323.

4. All bids shall be signed and submitted on the blanks which are bound in the specifications. Bids shall state the lump sums or unit prices and item totals on the blanks provided therefore, shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope marked "Bid for Paving Cemetery Roadways" and addressed to said City Manager.

5. Each bid shall contain the full name of every person, firm or corporation interested in the same, and must be accompanied by either a bid bond to the satisfaction of the City Manager, or a certified check on a solvent bank, in the sum of 5% of the amount of the bid, made payable to the City of Belleville, Michigan, as a guaranty that if the bid is accepted, a contract will be entered into and its performance properly secured.

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Must have 5 years experience. Must have ability to read blueprints well. Must have own tools. Full time with great benefits. Peak Industries, 5320 Oakman Blvd., Dearborn. 466-9999.

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SUMMER POSITION
The City of Belleville's Downtown Development Authority has a summer position available. This position involves maintaining the downtown area with respect to the various plantings, flowers, trees, etc., providing general assistance to the Public Works Department on downtown related projects, and insuring that the downtown is free from general debris and litter. The position is available as early as May 15, 1989 and will run as late as September 29, 1989. The salary range is \$4.00 to \$5.00 per hour with step increases possible. Interested applicants should submit an application and/or resume to: Robert Herron, City Manager, 6 Main Street, Belleville, MI 48111, (313) 697-9323, no later than April 21, 1989. Applicants must be at least 17 years of age. The City of Belleville is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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You get all this and so much, much more!
Includes:
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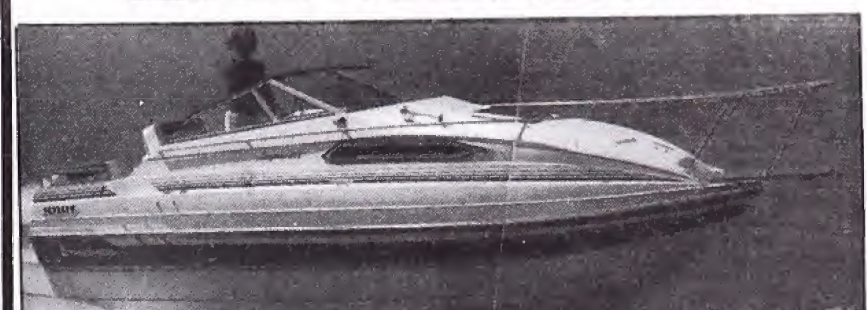
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50. Pets-Supplies

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57. Antiques
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March 31, April 1 & 2
Fri. & Sat. Noon - 9 p.m.
Sun. Noon - 5 p.m.

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Northville, MI
Admission: \$3
Food/Parking Available
Helen Meisel, Mgr.
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59. Auctions
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TWO DAY Antique & Collectible Auction - Barker's Trading Post, 7070 Bluebell Rd. (down town) Hwy. 100 & 101, off of Hwy. 100, M1 or NW of Monroe, MI. SATURDAY, April 1 at 10:00 pm. Approximately 600 lots. SATURDAY, April 1 at 7:00 pm. Furniture, Glassware, Children's Toys, Roseville Pottery & Misc. NOON - Furniture, Brass & Copper Items, Planters, Peanut Collection, Old Crow Cider, Musical Instruments, Black Memorabilia, Mounted Animals, Old Toys, Primitives, Nice Old Lamps, etc. Edson Player Model #50, Old Tins & Advertising Items. Terms: Cash or Michigan Check. Jack Barker Auctioneer. (313) 587-2942. Take Belleville Rd. south to Sumner Rd. to Bluebell Rd. turn right to auction.

60. Miscellaneous Sales
ATTENTION WAYNE Rotary Club needs your tax deductible donations for the Spring '89 Garage Sale. Call 729-8555, 729-4637 or 307-0383 for pick up. Please no clothing items.

MOVING SALE, 4185
Edmund, Wayne b/w Wayne & Howe Rd. Friday, 3-31 & Saturday, April 1, 10-5, household items.

CHURCH RUMMAGE SALE
First United Methodist Church of Wayne
(across from post office)
Fri, March 31, 3-5 pm
Sat, April 1, 9-12 noon
Sat, April 1, 10-5 pm (bag day)

Garage Sale, 1307
Dowling, N. of Palmer, E. of Newburgh, Thurs & Fri, March 30 & 31, 10-6.

RUMMAGE SALE
First Congregational Church, Michigan Ave. at Wayne Rd. Friday April 7, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday April 8, 9 a.m. to noon. Saturday is \$1.50 a bag day.

61. Miscellaneous Items
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BTU. Gibson, good condition, used little. \$100. AM/FM 8-track stereo with stereo changer, 2 speakers, \$20. 555-1585.

WHIRLPOOL WASHER
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each; 2 x 4's, \$1.25; single tubing, many sizes; doors of all kinds; railroad ties, \$6.95; wall panel from \$4 up. Romulus Lumber, 35600 Goddard Rd., Romulus.

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105. Houses for Sale
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92. Business Places for Rent
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95. Houses for Rent
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'86 MUSTANG LX
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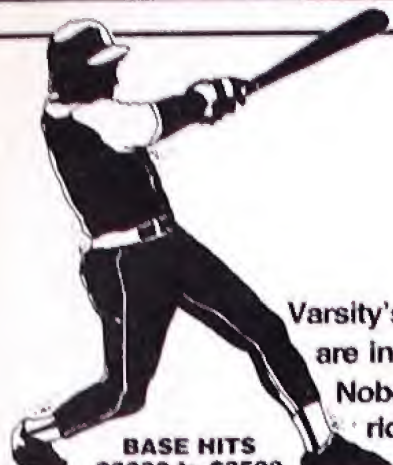
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1987 S15 Jimmy Sport - Auto, air, tilt, cruise, red, power windows, locks, alum. wheels, 23,000 miles, stk.#22867P, **\$11,995**
1988 F150 - 4 spd., o.d., p.s., p.b., dual tanks, stereo cass., black, sliding glass, bedliner, 22,000 miles, stk.#22367, **\$8888**
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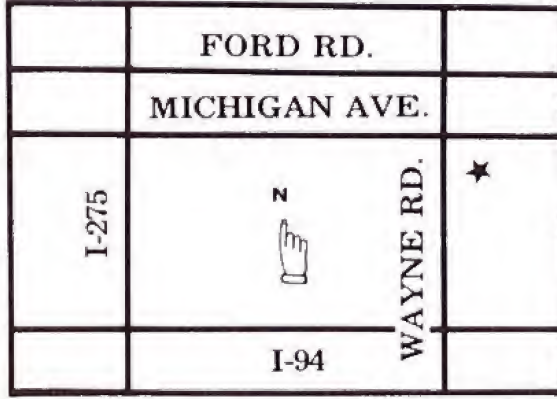
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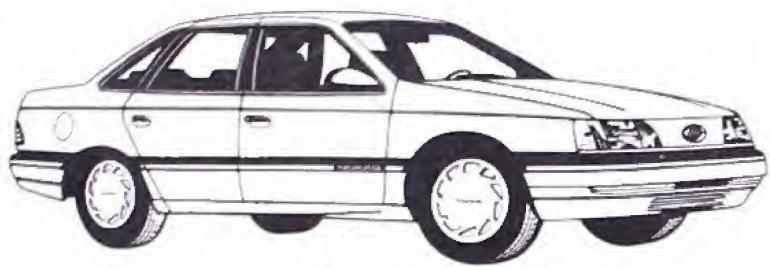
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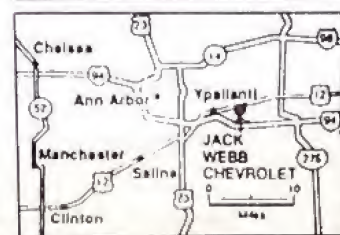
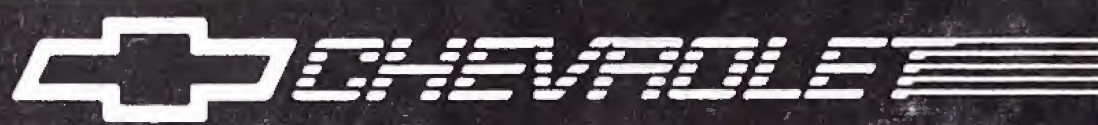


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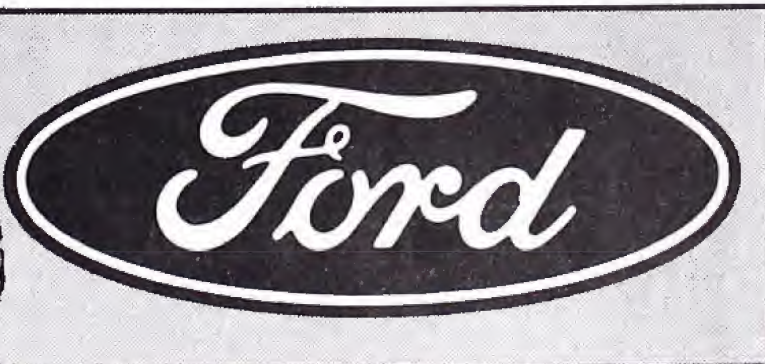
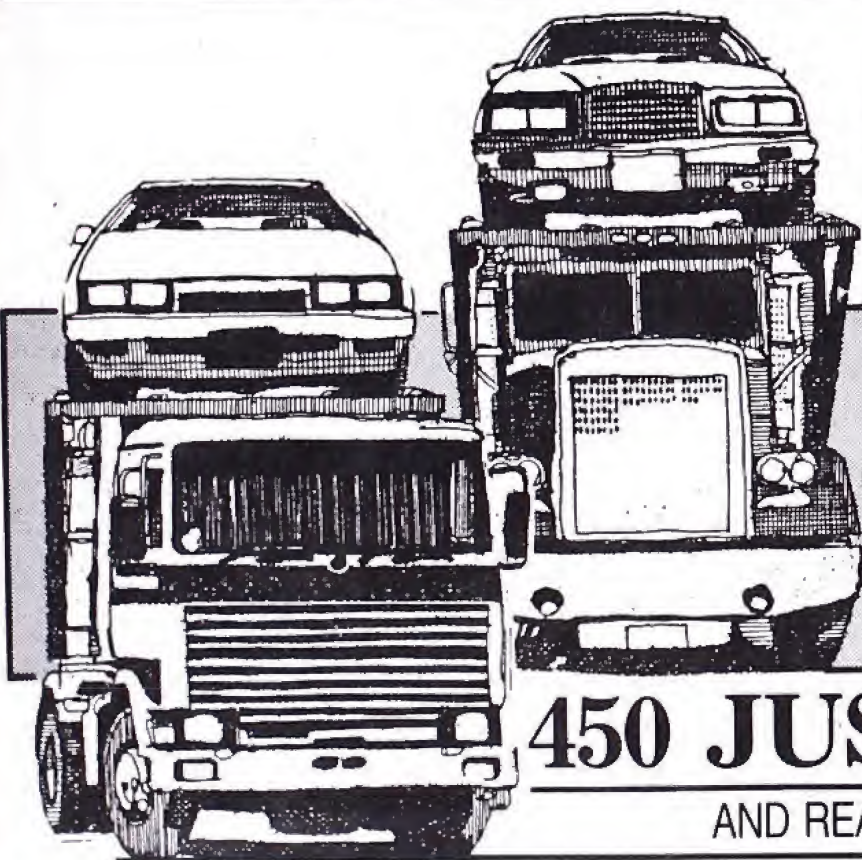


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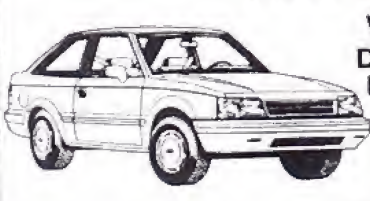
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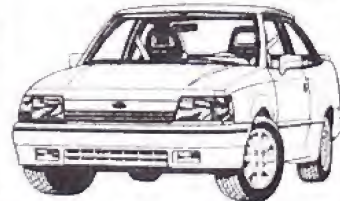
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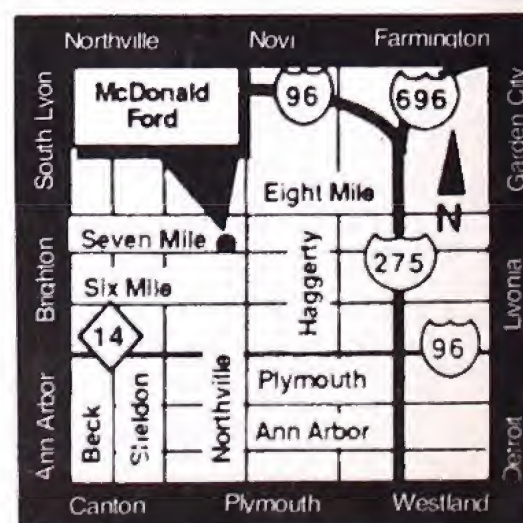


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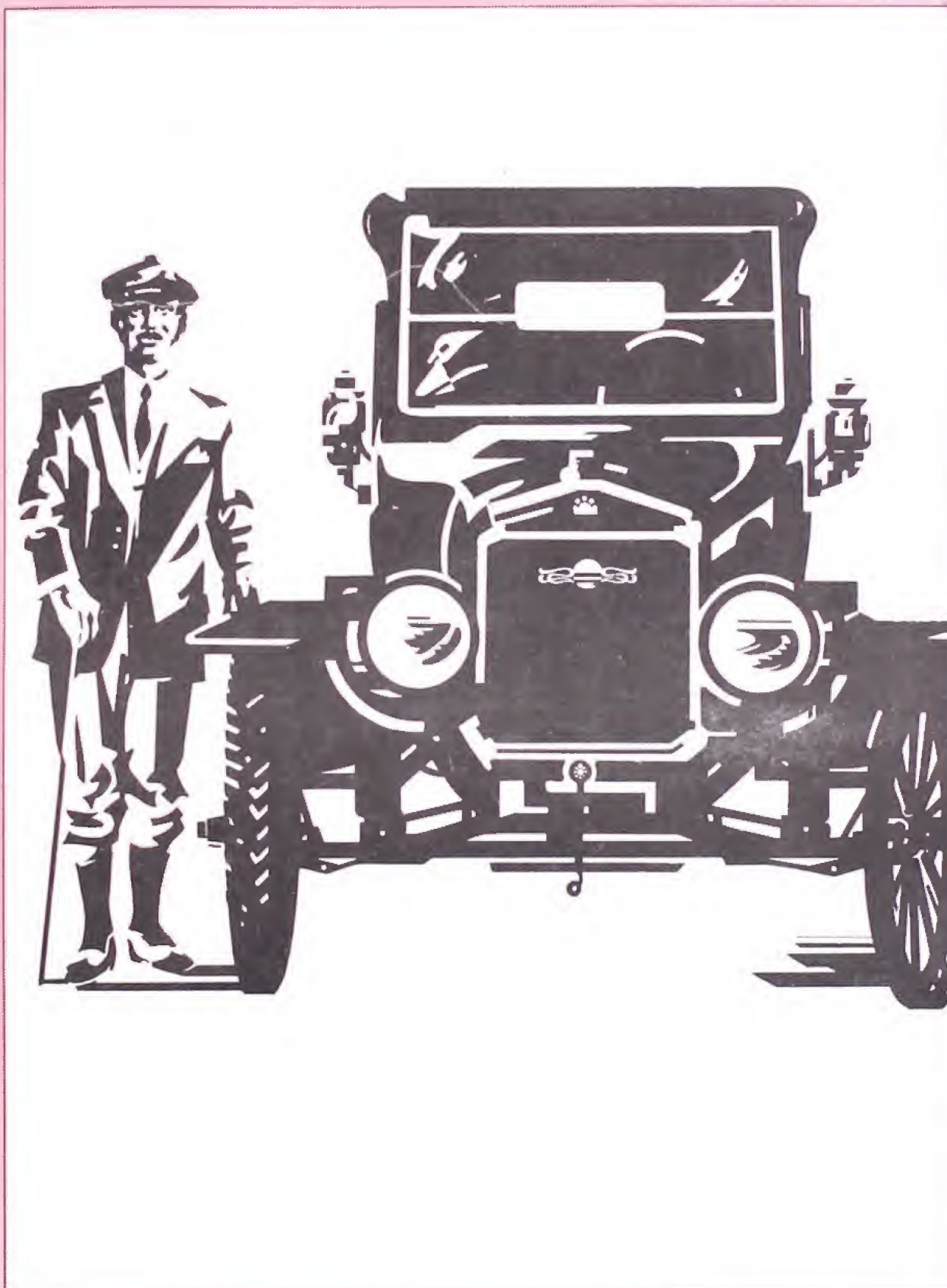
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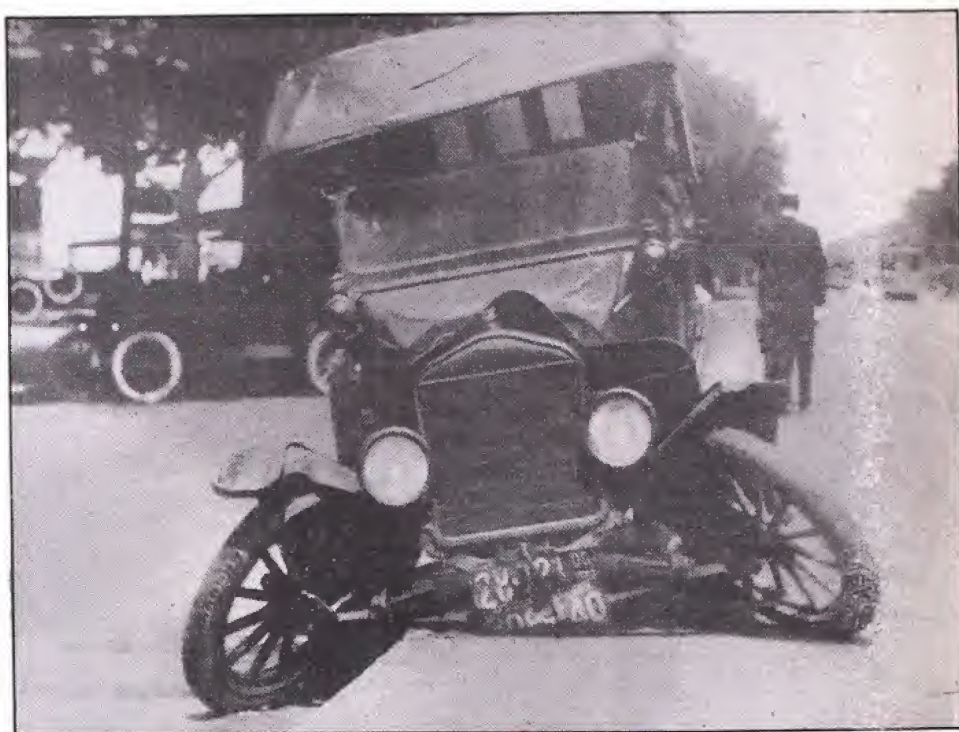
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'TIS THE SEASON

Spring is the right time to care about automobiles

With warm weather driving ahead and the scourge of winter behind, now is the time to give the car a

checkup.

Often, the punishment of winter driving and inclement weather leaves vehicles unprepared for recreational and springtime driving. Taking the time to give the vehicle a brief look-over will be time wisely spent.

Officials of the Car Care Council said that 98 percent of 2,000 vehicles inspected in an eight-city examination recently were found to have at least one unsatisfactory part or system.

Eight of the 10 most prevalent faults could have been spotted by owners in a checkup, using a tire gauge and antifreeze tester. Either of the last two items can be purchased for less than \$3 at local hardware or auto parts stores.

The most noted failure was the level or condition of engine oil, trans-

mission and brake fluid. Unsatisfactory tire pressure was cited as a close second.

When the car owners discovered problems with their vehicles, most immediately proceeded to have maintenance done, according to a follow-up survey.

For those who enjoy working on their own vehicles, here are some tips for springtime checkups.

- Always check fluid levels. Failure to maintain proper levels of engine oil and transmission fluid can destroy the engine and transmission. Low brake fluid can cause brake failure.

- Check tire inflation periodically. Six pounds of underinflation costs approximately 3 percent in fuel economy because of increased rolling resistance. Underinflation also causes rapid, uneven wear. A good tire gauge is a wise investment.

- Check up on the exhaust emissions, as well. These days, people

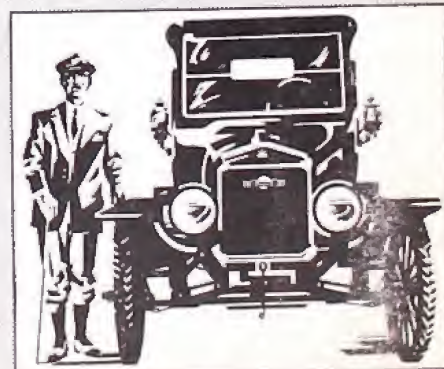
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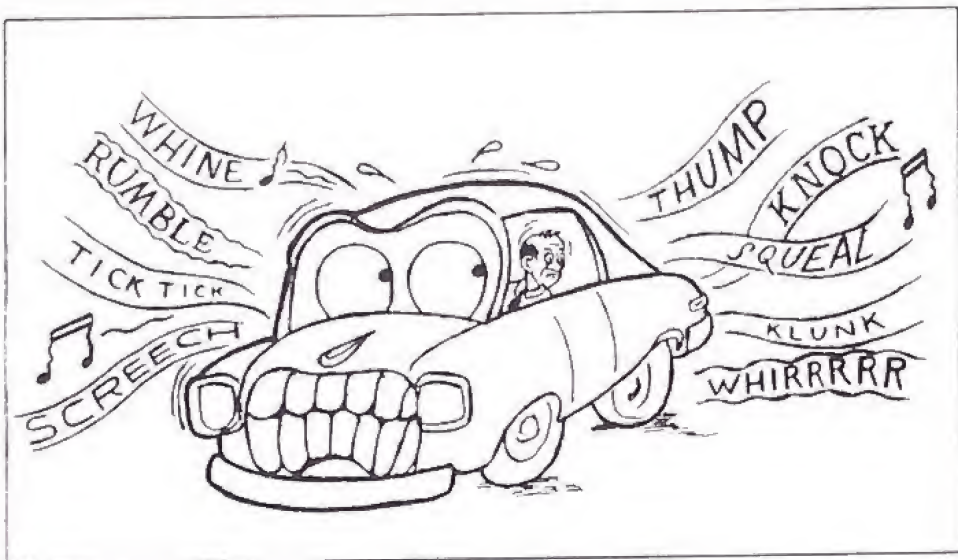
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Strange sounds from the car may be a signal that something is wrong. Understanding the cause of the sounds can help a mechanic find and correct the problem before it becomes serious.

Following is a list of the common noises heard, cited by officials of the Car Care Council.

- A clunk from underneath the vehicle when it moves forward or backward could be a warning that a universal joint is failing. That could become serious if it breaks and the drive shaft drops while the vehicle is moving.

If driving in a front-wheel drive, the clunking sound will be heard if there is looseness in a CV joint – or a universal joint that connects the front-wheels to the transverse axle.

When the brakes are applied and a squeal or scraping sound is heard, it could indicate worn brake linings or pads. If allowed to continue, it could result in damaged brake drums or rotors, making the repair more expensive.

- A thumping sound from a tire could be caused by flat spots on the tread due to improper balance or alignment. Tread separation could be the cause as well, which may lead to

a blowout.

- The sound of ticking in the engine usually is a valve lifter, generally heard when the engine is idling.

- A sudden screech from under the hood could be a worn or loose drive belt.

- A knocking or pinging from under the hood could be from low-grade gasoline, incorrect timing or the need for other tune-up adjustments.

- A whining sound when moving from a standstill to normal speed could be from the transmission and means that the transmission fluid is low.

- A spitting sound or rumbling from underneath the vehicle could be an exhaust leak. This is a potentially dangerous situation, because poisonous exhaust fumes can leak in the car.

- If a steady snapping sound that speeds up the engine faster is heard, it could mean a spark plug wire is loose or shorting out. The sound is a spark jumping from the bad metal to the metal of the engine.

- If a clicking sound is heard when the ignition switch is turned on, the battery may need charging or replacing. Loose or corroded connections could also be the problem. ■

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hear the words "greenhouse effect" and read about other environmental concerns. Harmful emissions from poor-running engines are part of the cause for those concerns.

Engine maintenance, sometimes only performing minor adjustments, can lessen those concerns. By servicing the engine, the performance will increase, too.

- The cooling system should also be addressed. This is among the most neglected systems in a vehicle. Car owners should consider flushing out the old antifreeze and replacing it with new fluid. An unclean cooling

system can lead to engine damage in hot weather.

- All lights should be checked. Windshield wipers should also be examined. Check for proper operation of both areas. Wiper blades should be replaced if they begin chattering, streaking or smearing.

- Most batteries now are relatively maintenance-free, and few require water to be added. However, connections should be examined and cleaned if necessary.

Many maintenance problems go unnoticed because of the lack of vehicle checkups. To prevent the problems, check the dipstick for engine oil level, tire pressure, wipers and all other solvent levels the next time at a gas station. ■

Is your vehicle prepared for spring?

The answer will likely be a confident "yes" if all of the items on the list below are checked and necessary maintenance is performed.

Some of the items listed require assistance from a professional mechanic, although many may easily be performed by car owners.

- ☒ Check each box after completion.
- ☐ Check hoses. They should be firm but flexible with no cracks, bulges or soft spots. Check connections for leaks.
- ☐ Check belts. When pushed with a finger, they should not "give" more than 1/2 inch. They should show no signs of fraying, wear or age.
- ☐ Check radiator coolant. (Do not remove radiator cap.) The recovery tank should be filled to the "cold" mark.
- ☐ Check pressure. Test cooling system with pressure to determine if there are any leaks.
- ☐ Check radiator cap. It must hold pressure.
- ☐ Check air conditioner. If it not working efficiently, it may need a dose of freon.
- ☐ Check tire pressure. Owner's manual will give proper tire inflation for the car.
- ☐ Check condition of all tires. There should be no excessive wear, cuts or other abrasions.
- ☐ Check spare tire. The pressure and condition of it are important, too.
- ☐ Check spark plugs. If they are worn or have dirty deposits on the firing end, replace them. Check gap on each to determine if it meets the car specifications.
- ☐ Check air filter and PCV valve. Hold filter up to sunlight. If light can be seen, replace it. PCV valve also requires periodic replacement.
- ☐ Clean and adjust the automatic choke, if equipped.
- ☐ Tune up the engine. This includes inspection of points (if equipped), ignition wires and distributor cap and adjustment of timing and carburetor idle settings.
- ☐ Check oil. Examine dipstick and fill if necessary. Change oil at mileage listed in owner's manual.
- ☐ Replace oil filter, when recommended in owner's manual.
- ☐ Check transmission fluid. Check level when engine is running and warm and gearshift is in park.
- ☐ Check brake fluid. Fluid should be 1/4 inch from top of reservoir.
- ☐ Check brakes. Examine brake linings, pads, drums, discs, etc., for wear or degradation.
- ☐ Check all lights. Headlights (low and high beam), tail lights, brake lights, parking lights, instrument-panel lights and all turn-signal lights must be functioning.
- ☐ Check horn.
- ☐ Check windshield wipers. They should be working and able to clear moisture without streaking, skipping or smearing. If not, replace them.
- ☐ Check windshield washer system. Washer pump should be working and reservoir filled with fluid.
- ☐ Check power-steering fluid. Examine dipstick when engine is warm.
- ☐ Clean windows and mirrors. Visibility is essential for safe driving.
- ☐ Check the battery. If it is not a maintenance-free battery, check the fluid level and fill if necessary. Clean any corrosion from battery terminals. Test battery for charge. Winter may have eroded some of the power.
- ☐ Check shock absorbers or struts. Worn out shocks alter a car's handling characteristics, make the ride less comfortable and increase tire wear.
- ☐ Check universal joints, tie-rod ends, ball joints and steering linkage. Failure of any of these can lead to an accident.

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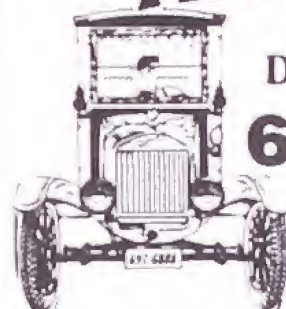
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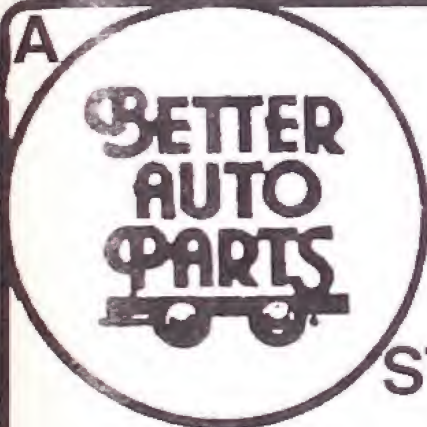
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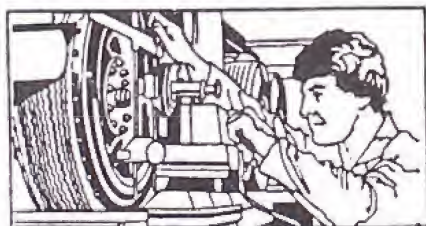
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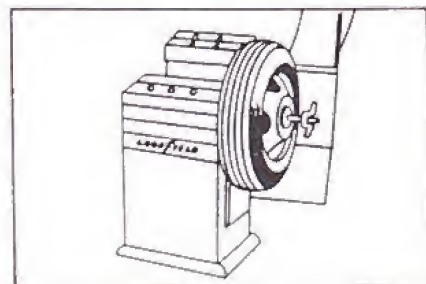
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The front-wheel-drive features found in most cars produced today are very useful, such as when trying to haul heavy objects (above). However, front-wheel-drive also means that special attention must be paid to tire rotation. Special photo to ANP

FRONT WHEELS FIRST

New wheel-drive designs prompt newer rules for tire rotations

The increasing number of front-wheel drive vehicles on the roads changes some rules of traditional tire care.

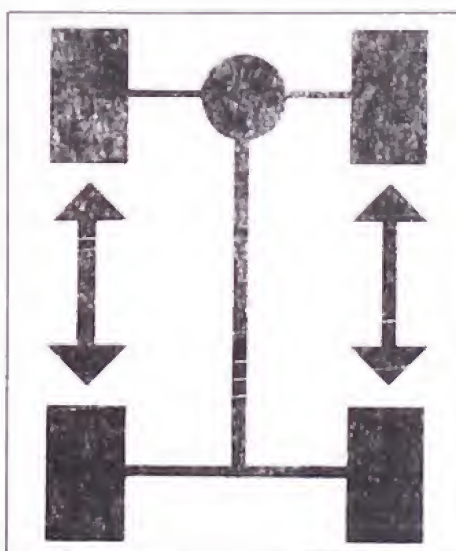
Especially if planning to do much driving this summer, keep a watchful eye on the tires of the front-wheel drive.

Faster front-tire wear is one of the tradeoffs made when selecting the advantages of front-wheel drive, according to the *Road Ahead* publication.

Rear-wheel drive relies on a drive line and rear differential, but front-wheel drive has all the equipment in the front. All turning, steering and braking forces combine with the weight to put a heavy load on the front wheels. As a result, the tire-wear patterns are markedly different from those of rear-wheel drive.

Inspect the tires regularly and maintain recommended tire pressure as listed in the owners' manual or door pillar. Watch for uneven wear on one tire, which could indicate a need for front-end alignment or a rotation of the tires.

When tires were on the bias-ply variety and spare tires were full size, the recommended tire pattern was a crossover one and included the spare in the rotation. But radial-ply tires are now the norm, and a small, temporary spare is typical.



This drawing shows the tire rotation-method recommended for front-wheel-drive vehicles.

Because the wear patterns and tires themselves are different, so are the recommended tire rotation patterns. The old crossover technique will only increase the wear rate on these new tires, because it reverses the wear pattern. Instead, rotate the front tires to the rear and the rear tires to the front. Don't reverse left and right tires.

If the car still is equipped with a full-size spare tire, mount it on the right front wheel. Move the right front tire to the right rear wheel and

use the right rear tire as the spare and the rotation is complete.

When it is time to replace the tires, here are some guidelines to follow, as provided by officials at the Tire Industry Safety Council.

- Check the owners' manual or the tire information placard on the vehicle before considering any replacement;

- Make sure a replacement tire has load-carrying capacity equal to or greater than the original equipment tire size;

- In selecting a single replacement tire, make sure it is the same construction as the other tire on the same axle;

- In selecting two radial tires to pair with other constructions, the radial pair must always be placed on the drive axle;

- Never mix radials and non-radials on the same axle, except for temporary use as a spare tire; and

- If switching from an old tire size to a new P-metric size, add three pounds of air to the inflation pressure recommended by the vehicle manufacturer for the old-sized tire.

Officials from the Car Care Council recommend rotating the tires every 6,000 to 8,000 miles for optimum wear. This will compensate for faster wear on front tires because of the weight of the car in the front of the vehicle. ■

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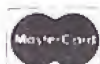
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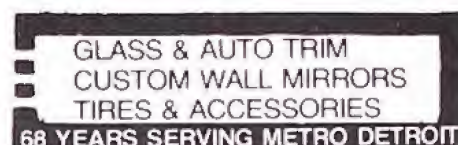
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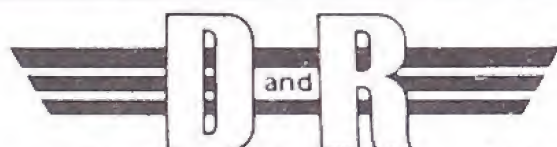
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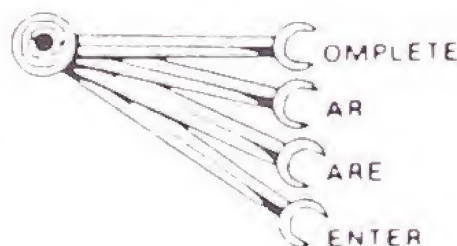


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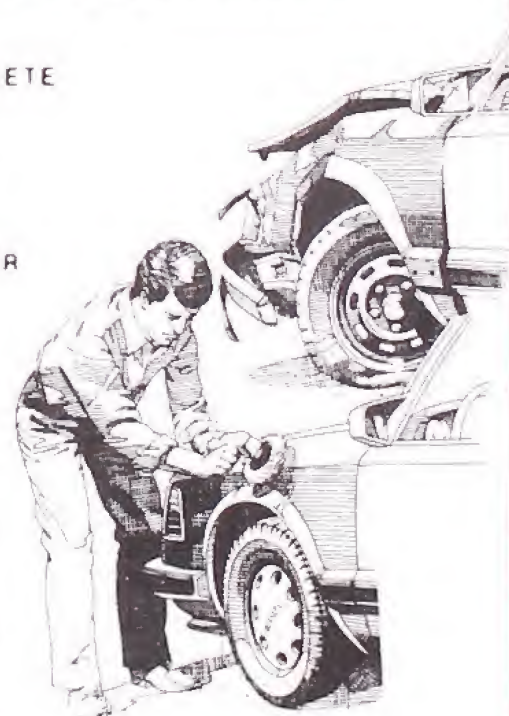
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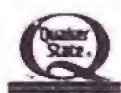


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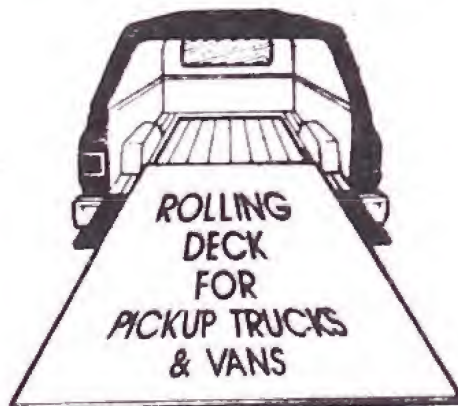
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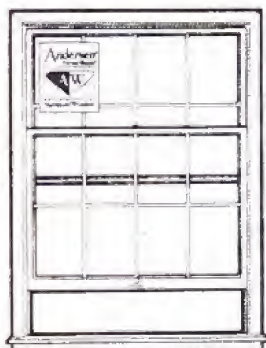
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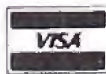
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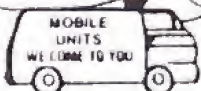
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purchase price based on the time left on the warranty. The warranty does not mean a new battery will be replaced.

A few manufacturers offer free replacement during the first 12 months after purchase. But, of course, warranties differ from manufacturer to manufacturer. Thus, the only way to know the difference is to read the warranty carefully.

Nevertheless, a sales receipt to receive a refund or replacement will be needed, because most companies require proof of a purchase date. If something goes wrong with the battery and a receipt cannot be found, a refund is highly unlikely.

Shop carefully for the next replacement battery and know the difference between buying for power and buying for warranty. The best guarantee will come from buying the most powerful battery, such as one with 675 or 875 cold cranking amps. ■

Gas know-how saves costs

The cost of automotive travel this summer may be reduced if motorists become more aware of how to save gasoline, according to officials at the Detroit-based Automotive Information Council.

Pre-vacation maintenance and preparation are good ways to assure that the vehicle is operating efficiently. Making sure the engine is properly tuned and the tires are correctly inflated are the two most important steps, but there are a few other simple things to remember when planning the trip.

First, plan ahead for overnight accommodations. Try to determine how many miles that will be driven

each day, and locate a motel at the end of each day. This will help avoid driving extra miles and wasting gas searching for a place to stay.

Take only what is needed and keep luggage in the trunk or rear seat. Using a luggage rack on the roof or trunk will reduce gas mileage by as much as 8 percent because of wind resistance.

If a luggage rack must be used, select the smallest items and put them in front to allow for smoother air flow. Put the largest and heaviest bags at the back. Be sure to tie down the luggage with a waterproof tarpaulin. ■

New brakes should not be delayed

If the vehicle has from 30,000 to 40,000 miles, now is the time to have a brake checkup.

Have a qualified technician look at the master cylinder, brake lines and hoses, calipers and wheel cylinders, plus lining and pads.

Fading, squeaking, pulling or grinding are all signs of brake wear. If these symptoms are ignored, trouble may be here soon.

Brake failure is the leading cause of motor vehicle accidents due to mechanical deficiencies, and the majority of these failures can be traced to neglected maintenance.

When stepping on the brake pedal, friction is created that prevents

the wheels from turning. Eventually, friction causes the brake parts to wear out and require replacement. By using good driving habits, the brakes may not wear as much.

When stopping, let the vehicle slow gradually, instead of stopping suddenly. Never ride the brakes on long hills.

For maintenance, check the fluid level in the master cylinder once a month and add heavy-duty brake fluid if the level is low.

Be aware of symptoms of brake trouble and seek the advice of a qualified technician when brakes are erratic. ■

Rust protection is still needed for newer cars

If car and truck owners think rust protection isn't needed anymore, consider the following facts.

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Acid rain and harsh environmental conditions have become more severe. Salt-laden air and high humidity in southern and coastal areas are the prime causes of corrosion. In addition, critical, interior areas of automobiles - fender supports and reinforcements, doorframes, brake and fuel lines, vehicle floor metal and suspension components - are not covered by corrosion warranties of manufacturers.

These facts emphasize that rust protection is still needed, even

though manufacturers have made design changes and improvements in the factory corrosion process, according to officials at Ziebart International Corp. Most automotive rust begins from the interior and corrodes through. Thus, the prospect for corrosion remains a concern for new-vehicle owners.

Consumers shopping for rust-protection systems should look for one that offers long-term corrosion protection, specialized tooling, certified technicians, annual maintenance and lifetime warranties, according to Ziebart officials.

If the vehicle is planned to be used for some time, protect it from rust with a professional system of rust protection. Don't be lulled into a false sense of security. Rust is still the hidden enemy of a car or truck, Ziebart officials said. ■

Potholes are spring evil for front-end suspension

The spring thaw means potholes. Potholes mean drivers should pay attention to front-end alignment, tire inflation and wheel balance on the car.

The fluctuating temperatures of spring create an ideal environment for the creation of potholes. Water from thawing ice and snow seeps into cracks in the pavement, freezes again as the temperature falls and lifts to crumble the road surface.

Fortunately, the suspension systems on newer cars and trucks are designed to withstand the punishment associated with most pothole encounters. Today, vehicles are designed to stay within alignment specifications unless a structural member - such as a steering linkage or control arm - is bent or twisted, according to officials of the Detroit-based Automotive Information Council.

The problem will first occur when

the vehicle handles differently or tends to drift to one side on a straight, level roadway. However, the problem may not be improper alignment. Check the tire pressure first. Underinflated tires can also lead to handling difficulties.

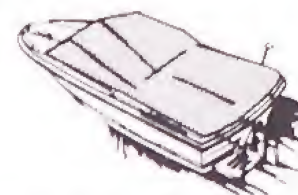
Another problem may be incorrect wheel balance. A wheel weight can be jarred loose if a pothole is struck by the tire hard enough. A visual check will provide the answer, because a lost wheel weight will leave a mark on the spot of the wheel where it was attached.

Unbalanced or bent wheels caused by impact with a deep pothole also can cause shimmy and vibrations in the front wheels.

If the tire pressure and wheels are fine but there still is a handling problem, the cause may be a misalignment. A misalignment of the front will cause excessive tire wear. Also watch for excessive wear on one side of a tire. ■

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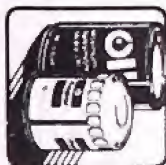
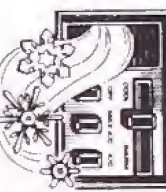
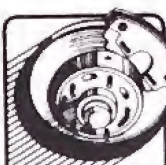
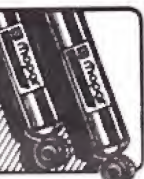
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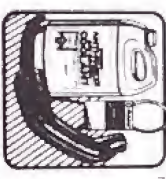
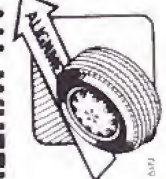
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